Weather

Intermittent rain or snow. The maximum temperature yesterday was 38.3 and the minimum 33.1, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 58.3 and 31.8.

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RAIN DEARTH, IF NOT BROKEN SHORTLY, WILL BRING FAMINE

Drought In Central China Unprecedented

FIGURES GIVEN

January Rainfall Only 6.7 Millimeters

BY DAVID ARAKIE
(Financial Editor)

As the weeks roll by the fear that China will be visited by a severe famine this year is slowly becoming a reality, and it is now almost certain that the growing crops will be greatly ruined by the lack of winter rain. This year the winter rain has been remarkably deficient and the crops are withering away. The loss that this will cause China is going to be immense.

The next crop of Chinese wheat, rapeseeds, broadbeans and rice will be extremely poor. The thirty million taels invested in the flour milling business in this country will again for another season yield no profits unless the price of American wheat is such as to enable the Chinese mills to import and grind it into flour to be placed at a fair price on the Chinese market.

An idea of the very severe drought experienced can be obtained by a comparison, for instance, of the rainfall recorded at Shanghai and Hankow during the past four months with three previous years.

In October 1919 the rainfall at Shanghai totalled 37 millimeters, in the same month the following year it registered 54 and in October last 49 millimeters.

In November, 1919, 28 millimetres fell. 26 in October 1920, 32 in 1921 and 10 in November 1922.

EXTRAORDINARY DRY MONTH

In December last Shanghai received altogether 3.8 millimeters, against 15 in the same month in 1921, 125 in 1920 and 29 in 1919.

In January of this year we had only 6.7 millimeters, which has been one of the lowest recorded for very many years. In January 1922 the rainfall was 72.6 millimeters, January 1921, 17 and in the previous January 27.6 millimeters. Last month's average is extraordinarily low as the mean rainfall for January should be 50.9 millimeteres, based on the results of 50 years' observation at Siccawei. It has been an astonishingly dry winter season for the Shanghai district, and practically a similar deficiency has been the rule in the other districts.

The mean rainfall in October is about 94, November 77 and December 20 millimeters, but during the period October, 1922 to January 1923 no single month has enjoyed anything like the mean rainfall.

We can extend our scope of vision a little further, and take the rainfall recorded in Hankow which is in the important Hunan district, where the growth of the crops has been retarded to a point which looks very ominous. In October last 14 millimeters of rain fell against 99 millimeters in October, 1921, 74 in 1920 and 26 in a similar month in 1919.

In November last, Hankow registered 5 millimeters against 30 in 1920 and 28 in the year previous, while in December no rain fell, the quantities for 1919, 1920 and 1921 being 13, 42 and 18 respectively.

Last month there was no rainfall until January 15, when rain fell for three or four days and then ceased. Last year in January Hankow received 48 millimeters, in 1921, 21 millimeters and 1920 some 76 millimeters. Perhaps the condition in the interior may be worse.

Should the drought continue for another week it is quite likely that the export of rice will be prohibited from Anhwei and Kiangse provinces, the Chinese Government already having placed an embargo on the exports of rice from the Hunan province.

WHY RICE WILL SUFFER

The drought will indirectly affect the rice crop in China. The Chinese farmer uses a kind of grass known as "clover grass" for the fertilisation of his rice soil, and the lack of rain has dried up this grass and made the soil hard. The yield will, therefore, be poor. It might be mentioned that the rice-sowing season begins in June, so

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Russia's No Place For Grafters Now

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Moscow, Feb. 4.—The Soviet government has launched an extensive campaign to stamp out official corruption. To make this effective the death penalty has been provided for certain offenses against the state, and several executions have already taken place.

DAIRY MAN FINED FOR SECOND TIME WITHIN A WEEK

Reduces Water Percentage, However, From 33 To 7 Percent

A Chinese dairy keeper, Dau Yuin-soong, proprietor of the Clover dairy, 454 Avenue Haig, who was convicted and fined for distributing adulterated milk a week ago, was again before the Mixed Court yesterday.

Mr. V. Starling, of the Health Department, testified that an analysis of milk taken from one of the dairy delivery coolies showed 7 percent of added water.

The defendant protested to the Court that he was doing his best to keep the coolies from adulterating the milk, but that it was a very difficult thing to control.

Assessor Blackburn, in giving sentence, remarked that the accused had reduced the percentage of water in his product from 33 percent to 7 percent, so he would only be fined $50 on this occasion.

BIG EARTHQUAKE RECORDED; IN MID PACIFIC, BELIEF

Instruments Here Disturbed But Location Not Determined

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, Feb. 4.—Revised scientific calculations place the earthquake, reported today, off the coast of lower California, or in the vicinity of the Marshal islands.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

San Francisco, Feb. 4.—An earthquake of tremendous proportions was recorded here today. None of the scientists was able to locate it, but it is believed to be off the coast of South America.

QUAKES RECORDED HERE

The Siccawei Observatory has noted six earthquakes and Father Gherzi said yesterday that two were violent shocks. One was recorded at 5 o'clock Friday morning, Greenwich time, with the other and more violent, coming at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. This was of six hours duration.

Siccawei could not fix the location of the center of the second shock because it started very slowly and the record is very indistinct. Father Gherzi expressed the opinion that the center was probably in the Pacific off the Coast South of Alaska.

The first of the violent shocks was located 4,100 kilometers northeast of Shanghai, probably in the neighborhood of Kamchatka. The second was not so easily located but Father Gherzi estimated its center as 3,900 kilometers from Shanghai.

REID LEFT $50,000

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Los Angeles, Feb. 4.—The widow of Wallace Reid, the moving picture actor, in asking for a letter of administration from the Supreme Court, announced that the value of his estate would reach about $50,000.

U. S. ARMY BILL

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, Feb. 4.—The Senate has approved the Army bill, including provisions for 125,000 men and 12,000 officers.

NEW FIGHTING BREAKS OUT IN SOUTH; SUN'S FORCE GAINING

General Liu Repels Hostile Kwangsi Troops

PEOPLE IN PANIC

Wealthy Refugees Seek Safety At Hongkong

(China Press Service)

Canton, Feb. 4.—The troops of General Shen Hung-ying and General Liu Chin-hwan came into conflict in the region of the East River on Friday night. General Liu's forces, which are loyal to Doctor Sun Yat-sen, succeeded in repelling the invaders who advanced on Sheklung in two columns.

Large numbers of wounded Kwangsi troops were sent back to Canton yesterday. According to them, General Liu's troops supported by the armies of General Yao Yu-ping and General Yang Kun-yu, the latter being General Chen Chiung-ming's former lieutenant, launched a surprise attack on the Kwangsi forces immediately upon their arrival at Hsintang after a fatiguing journey.

The battle of Hsintang was full of dramatic incidents culminating in two yings of Kwangsi troops under the command of Chen Tien-ta being rounded up in a jungle and finally disarmed. General Shen has sent another army under General Tang Chin-yuan to the East River for the relief of the Kwangsi troops.

The outbreak of hostilities on the eastern [illegible] panic among the populace here. Chinese shop-keepers are busy putting up their shutters. There is a general exodus of Chinese to Hongkong. Foreign battleships are aligned on the Pearl River in readiness for emergencies.

The Kwangsi generals here attach much significance to the removal of the naval headquarters at the Pearl Island to the cruiser Hai Chi by order of Mr. Wen Shui-teh, Commander-in-chief of the Southern Squadron.

It is reported that the local organisations have requested the naval officers to refrain from bombarding the Kwangsi troops gathered at the Kwanyinshan hill, in the event of war breaking out in Canton, for fear that the city may be ruined.

(China Press Service)

Hongkong, Feb. 4.—The impending crisis in Canton has strangely eased the financial market in Hongkong. This is due to the large amounts of money deposited with the local banks by the wealthy refugees from Canton.

(China Press Service)

Canton, Feb. 4.—Rumors are current to the effect that General Shen Hung-ying, Commander-in-chief of the Kwangsi troops will soon shift his headquarters to the Sikiang Valley.

(China Press Service)

Kirin, Feb. 4.—It is reported that General Chang Tso-lin has remitted the sum of $300,000 to General Hsu Chung-chi, Commander-in-chief of the Constitutionalist troops in Fukien, prior to the latter's departure from Foochow for Canton.

General Hsu's army, 40,000 strong, is reported to have passed Chuanchow for Swatow where it will join General Li Lieh-chun's troops, before marching on the Southern capital.

German Co. To Make Aeros For Russia

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Moscow, Feb. 5.—The Soviet government has signed a contract with the Junker Airplane Co., of Dessau, Germany, giving the latter the right to build and operate aeros in Russia, and also to maintain a service between Russia and Persia.

"BESSIE DOLLAR"

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Seattle, Feb. 4.—The steamship Bessie Dollar is still adrift, the position being 36 North, 170 East.

"LISTENIN' IN" WILL BE SUNG TONIGHT FOR RADIOPHONE

Frank Shaw To Warble Wireless Song And "Cowbells"

COLLINS TO SING

Claude McGuire, Astor Player, Scores With Saxaphone

Tonight's Radio Program

Song will reign supreme on the broadcasting program sent through the ether from the roof of the Dollar building tonight.

XRO—that is the radio call of the broadcasting station will present:

Mr. Frank Shaw, the comedian with the Golden Gate Quartette at the New Carlton, will introduce "Listenin' In," the song composed by Mr. Mena Silas with words by Mr. E. P. Graham Barrow especially for the radio.

Mr. Shaw will also sing "Cowbells," and "He's Her He: She's His She," his two most popular 'nut' songs.

Mr. Roy Collins will sing the two songs with which he has scored his greatest success at the Carlton:—"I've Been A Good Pal To You," and "Blue."

Mr. Ray Lenzen, the Carlton pianist, will accompany both Mr. Shaw and Mr. Collins.

News bulletins will be broadcast by THE CHINA PRESS.

Several of the latest phonograph selections will be played.

Tune in at 8 o'clock!

Despite the cold weather and the falling snow last night well over a thousand Shanghailanders were able to enjoy a musical program and hear the latest news from all over the globe without moving from their fireplaces—they have little radio sets in their homes.

And despite the snow and other seemingly unfavorable climatic conditions last night's concert was perfect in every detail. Modulation was excellent and the French wireless station and a number of amateurs telephoned during and after the concert that they had heard everything clearly and distinctly.

The feature of last night's concert, broadcasted from the roof of the Dollar building at 3 Canton Road, was the saxaphone playing of Mr. Claude McGuire of the Astor House grill jazz band. Mr. McGuire, accompanied on the piano by Mr. Earl Currens, pianist and leader of the Astor jazz-kings, played "Macushla" and "Homesick." Both tunes are splendid saxaphone numbers and when Mr. McGuire touched lip and finger to his instruments one of the largest audiences he has ever played to enjoyed every note.

The weird moaning sound, pregnant with unuttered grief, which is the predominant note in "Macushla," carries with the utmost clarity over the radiophone and calls forth the same strange reaction. And in "Homesick" the music, as played by Mr. McGuire symbolises homesickness as nothing else does. Mr. McGuire will repeat in the near future.

"LISTENIN' IN"

Because of Mr. Mena Silas' cold it was impossible for him to sing "Listenin' In," the song composed by him especially for the radio, last night and its introduction was delayed until tonight. "Listenin' In" will be sung by Mr. Frank Shaw, the man with the funny face, who is featured every night with the Golden Gate Quartette at the New Carlton on Bubbling Well Road. The song was written by Mr. Silas with words by Mr. E. P. Graham Barrow under the inspiration of their first appearance before a radiophone transmitter, and Mr. Silas planned to introduce it himself at last night's concert. The change in the weather, however, gave him a bad frog in the throat that makes it impossible for him to sing for several days.

In addition to the radio song

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Capitol Has Radio Broadcasting Station

Capitol broadcasting station.

THIS new radio broadcasting station has been installed in the basement of the National Capitol in Washington so that the speeches delivered in Congress by the President may be heard by millions of wireless fans.

Secretary Of Exchange Testifies In Di Villa Case

[illegible] the prosecution [illegible] Exchange [illegible] of its registration [illegible] The [illegible] Consulate was $100,024, or Lire 150,072. On the Consular receipt three items were given, that for the registration being figured at an exchange rate of one and one-half lire to $1, while two smaller items, for a copy of articles of association and for advertising, were figured at Lire 3 to $1. The smaller amounts were respectively Lire 81, or $27, and Lire 33.35, or $11.25.

[illegible] receipts was given yesterday at the Mixed Court in the case wherein the Viscount E. M. di Villa, former manager of the Far Eastern Bank, is charged with conspiring to defraud the International Gold and Silver Currency Stock and Produce Exchange of $50,000. It is alleged that Mr. di Villa conspired with one Nien Sung-tung in representing to the Exchange that the cost of its registration at the Italian Consulate was $100,000 instead of $50,000. The complaint was made by Mr. S. Saguira, assignee of the exchange.

The case is being heard by Japanese Assessor Tanaka and Magistrate Li and Mr. Kikuchi is appearing for the prosecution, while Mr. J. G. Priestwood represents the defendant.

Mr. Sauto, the only witness examined yesterday, stated that he was secretary of the International

The witness stated that he made inquiries at the Consulate and found the receipt to be wrong. He showed it to the secretary of the Consulate, he said, and was told that it was a forgery. Later the same day he showed it to Mr. Ferrajolo, Consul, who also declared the document to be a forgery.

Mr. Priestwood here objected to the testimony on the ground that it was only hearsay evidence, but the Assessor stated that it was necessary for the Court to hear it.

The witness, continuing, stated that Mr. Ferrajolo had shown him the paying in book of the bank, showing the registration figure to be $50,024.17 instead of $100,024. Mr. Ferrajolo also showed him, he said, that the exchange rate given on the receipt was wrong and that the Consulate employed a fixed rate of Lire 3 to $1. The date on which he went to the Consulate was July 7, 1922.

Mr. di Villa had paid the money to the Italian Consulate, Mr. Sauto said, and was at that time vice-president of the Exchange and manager of the Far Eastern Bank. He sent in notice of the registration fee after he had paid it and everything in that connection had been left in his hands. The Exchange had a deposit with the Far Eastern Bank and the $100,000 was withdrawn from this. A bank cash order signed by Mr. di Villa and Nien Sung-tung was produced.

Witness went on to state that after July 7 of last year an investigation was made and documents were borrowed from the bank for this purpose. On going to the bank to investigate, the witness said, it was found that sums of $25,000 each had been paid into the accounts of Mr. di Villa and Nien. The witness said it was his opinion that $50,000 had been paid to the Consulate and that $25,000 each went to the defendant and Nien.

He testified further that he had asked Mr. di Villa where the amount had gone and defendant had replied that he gave it to Mr. Musso. He asked for a receipt but Mr. di Villa failed to produce one. Later, when the bank went into liquidation, Mr. Musso made a claim for $50,000 and [illegible] this fact, the witness submitted, it was evident that the money had not been paid over.

Mr. Priestwood began his cross-examination of the witness and the case was then remanded until Thursday morning.

HOOVER ASKS U.S. CONGRESS TO O.K. RUBBER INQUIRY

Investigation Of Philippine Prospects To Be Undertaken

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, February 4.—Mr. Hoover, the Secretary of Commerce, has sent a letter to Senator McCormick endorsing his proposal to introduce legislation authorising a thorough Government investigation of the rubber-producing possibilities of tropical America and the Philippines.

The foregoing is a sequel to the conference between Mr. Hoover and the representatives of British producers and American manufacturers. It is stated that the British explained the situation leading up to restriction of output and undertook through their Association to prevent "runaway prices" henceforth with the consequent over-production, which the Americans feared would result in loss to themselves.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 2.—The Duke of Devonshire, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, in response to representations, has authorised an increase on the maximum assessment of standard production of rubber, where the actual figure is not known, to 426 pounds per acre yearly in the case of the first five acres of estates under 25 acres in Ceylon and Malaya as from February 1.

LAUSANNE CONFERENCE FAILS; SITUATION NOW FRAUGHT WITH DANGER

Allied Delegates Make Every Conceivable Concession, But Turks Remain Obdurate; Curzon And Other Delegates Leave For Home

INTENSE DISAPPOINTMENT IS FELT

Demand That Angora Government Should Assume Old Regime's Obligation Was Rock On Which Parleys Spilt At Last Moment

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Lausanne, Feb. 5.—The Near East Conference has ended in rupture, the Turkish delegation refusing to accept the treaty offered by the Allies. Lord Curzon and the other Allied delegates have left Lausanne.

(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, Feb. 5.—The fate of the Treaty was in the balance until within five minutes of the time fixed for Marquess Curzon's departure. The Allies whittled down the judicial capitulations until they were almost unrecognisable and greatly modified. The Allied proposal was that a foreign jurist should hold a watching brief in cases where foreigners are concerned but the Turks made a counter proposal reducing their utility to a vanishing point. The war indemnity was reduced from 15,000,000 Turkish pounds gold to 12,000,000 Turkish pounds gold and other substantial concessions were ineffectually made.

(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, Feb. 5.—There is intense disappointment at the last moment failure of the Conference after two and a half months' negotiations. The French, Italian and American representatives made a supreme effort to move Ismet Pasha but found him adamant towards the terms with regard to the judicial regime affording guarantees to foreigners, and the economic questions.

It appears that Ismet Pasha accepted Marquess Curzon's offer at the final discussion that, provided arbitration by the League of Nations for Mosul were retained in the treaty, the League's investigation should be delayed for a year conditionally on the status quo being maintained and the vilayet not being disturbed.

(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, Feb. 5.—Ismet Pasha, interviewed by Reuter's correspondent, emphatically declared that the failure of the Conference was due to the economic clauses of the Treaty and primarily to the Allied demand that the Turkish Government should recognise all the contracts and concessions of their predecessors. He urged the Government's ignorance of the nature of these and expressed surprise that the Conference should have been wrecked on such grounds. He declared that the matter of the judicial regime accorded with the Allied proposals.

The chief Turkish delegate was very earnest and seemed upset at Marquess Curzon's departure. He apparently realises that the situation is fraught with very great danger.

(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, Feb. 4.—Ismet Pasha declares that he does not consider the Conference ended. He is awaiting an official communication on the matter.

The principal French delegate, M. Bompard, is remaining at Lausanne.

(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, Feb. 4.—(6 p.m.)—The Turkish reply expresses conviction that the unanimity of views between the Allies and the Turkish delegation on fundamental points is sufficient for the establishment of peace.

It declares that the Turks are agreeing to great sacrifices for the preservation of peace.

They accept the western frontier as proposed by the Allies and, in order to testify their goodwill, do not insist on obtaining Karagatch and the railway thence to Kuleli-Burgas and Demotika. Briefly, they renounce the frontier of 1915.

The Turks renounce the policy with regard to the closing of the Straits and agree to their demilitarisation.

They surrender their claim to maintain a garrison in Gallipoli and agree that the cemeteries in the Anzac Zone shall remain undisturbed.

The Turks suggest that the future of Mosul should be decided between Britain and Turkey within a year.

The Turkish reply makes a reservation relative to the portion of the debt not yet divided.

It agrees that Germany and Austria shall not be represented on financial and economic organisations.

Turkey takes note of "the acceptance in principle of the payment of a sufficient sum on ac-

FRENCH RUSH TROOPS INTO OTHER PARTS OF GERMANY

Part Of Ruhr Territory Taken, Also Baden

(Reuter's Service)

Essen, Feb. 4.—A French official statement states that Bergborn, in the British zone, has been occupied with British consent.

The French, in continuance of their policy of tightening control, have prohibited the import and export of coal byproducts like benzol and ammonia.

The attitude of the miners continues to be uncertain except regarding their emphatic objection to the presence of troops in the mines.

The miners' organisation a fortnight ago obtained a 77 percent increase in wages and is now demanding a further addition on the ground of the enormous rise in the cost of living.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Paris, Feb. 3.—The Association of German Fairs has prohibited attendance of all French and Belgian exhibitors or buyers. The ban includes the big fair at Leipsic.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Paris, Feb. 5.—Swedish bishops have addressed a protest against French occupation of the Ruhr to President Harding, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Cardinal Dubois and Premier Poincare.

They assert in their telegram that "armed forces under the mask of peace are cutting large districts off of disarmed neighboring countries," and assert their fears that a continuance of the present situation will bring on another great world war.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Berlin, Feb. 5.—According to the Daily Telegraph commercial and financial conditions in Hungary are a great deal worse than they appear to be and consternation has arisen for fear France has plans to enter Austria and Hungary as they have Germany.

(Reuter's Service)

Essen, Feb. 5.—A French machine gun section fired over the heads of rival Communist and Nationalist processions which met at the station square here yesterday, singing their party anthems. The German police had previously endeavored to disperse the demonstrators but the French action enabled them to do so. There were no casualties.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Berlin, Feb. 4.—The German government has lodged another

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count of reparation for the damages caused by Greek aggression."

The reply finally says that fundamental questions, constituting eighty percent of the whole Treaty, have been solved and therefore there is no serious obstacle to the conclusion of peace. It proposes, consequently, the conclusion of peace by affixing signatures to the foot of the essential questions on which agreement has been reached, negotiations to continue by part of the delegations with regard to the questions remaining in suspense. The reply adds that the Turks will only agree to these sacrifices on condition that peace is signed.

"Listenin' In" Will Be Sung Tonight For Radiophone

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Mr. Shaw tonight will sing two of the songs that have made him famous—or which he has made famous—at the New Carlton, "Cowbells," and "He's Her He; She's His She." Both are unquestioned hits and will give Shanghai listeners-in a real treat tonight.

Mr. Roy Collins, the powerful bass singer with the Golden Gate Quartette, will also sing two of his most popular songs. The first will be a ballad that has scored a big hit at the Carlton, "I've Been A Good Pal To You," followed by another song success, "Blue." Mr. Collins' voice is one of the most powerful ever heard in Shanghai and aided and abetted by science radio statisticians figure he will be heard in Tientsin, Hongkong and other China cities without difficulty.

Mr. Ray Lenzen, the popular ivory tickler from the Carlton Orchestra will accompany both Mr. Shaw and Mr. Collins. His playing has been some of the best that has been heard over the radio in Shanghai and fully as clear and distinct by radio as it is at the Carlton.

Other musical numbers will also be given on tonight's program as well as the latest local and world news bulletins broadcast by THE CHINA PRESS.

Among the many who listened in last night was Mr. J. H. Taggart, General Manager of the Hongkong Hotels Company, who listened in on a set in Mr. E. G. Osborn's room at the Astor House. Mr. Taggart has become quite a radio fan as a result of the success of the broadcasting in Shanghai and it is expected that within the near future the various hotels controlled by the Hongkong Hotels Company will be equipped with compete radio sets so that guests may listen in each night.

JAPANESE INTEREST

As proof of the growing interest in radio in Shanghai last night's visitors at the broadcasting station also included Mr. Y. Ikeda of the Eastern News Agency who visited the station at the request of local Japanese newspapers to write a story on the radio for their readers. Mr. Ikeda was extremely interested in the working of the latest marvel of science to be brought to China through the enterprise of THE CHINA PRESS and Radio Corporation of China and expressed the conviction that it would be only a short time until a large number of members of the local Japanese community would have receiving sets.

Prof. C. H. Robertson and Dr. John Y. Lee of the Y.M.C.A. left for Nanking on Sunday with complete broadcasting equipment as well as receiving equipment and within one or two days—possibly tomorrow— it will be possible to get into radio communication with them. It was Prof. Robertson's and Dr. Lee's intention when they left Shanghai to set up their station in Nanking for demonstration purposes and to talk back and forth with the station on top the Dollar building. Full details of the interesting tests to be made will be published in THE CHINA PRESS within the course of the next few days. Clear talk and uninterrupted musical numbers heard in Nanking, or vice versa, will prove the last nail necessary to clinch the conviction of all radio fans in China that long distance communication in China via wireless is not only feasible and something to be looked forward to, but an actuality of the immediate future.

One of the interesting and significant phases of the program last night was the fact that several amateurs called up during the program and requested favorite musical numbers. One amateur with a set in the Ben Building wanted his favorite Harry Lauder song. Another requested a certain orchestral piece, and still another wanted "Kitten On The Keys," the piano solos. It turned out to be a request night on the radio—something new in entertainment.

Radio To Warn Ships Of Gales In Caribbean

(China Press Correspondence)

Washington, by mail.—Special weather bulletin service for the benefit of shipping in the Caribbean sea has been arranged for by the United States Weather Bureau through the radio service of a commercial steamship company. The bulletins will be flashed twice daily from the company's station on Swan Island, in the western Caribbean.

The morning bulletin will be sent out only during the hurricane season which lasts from June through November, and will be in two parts. The first part will contain weather observations from ten selected stations throughout the West Indies and nearby coasts. The second part will contain daily forecasts of wind and weather for the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean west of longitude 73 degrees, and advices and warnings regarding the location and movements of hurricanes in warm weather and "northers" in winter

The night bulletin will be broadcast daily throughout the year and will contain forecasts, advices and warnings similar to those included in the second part of the morning bulletins.

Volunteers At Hongkong May Have Radio Corps

The Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps will soon have a Wireless Section attached to its Engineer Company. The originator of the scheme is Lieut. R. Melville Smith, a keen wireless enthusiast and he has succeeded in getting the authorities interested in the scheme. Funds have been voted for the purchase of the necessary equipment, and no time is being wasted in sending the order Home for it.

Mr. Smith chatted interestingly on his scheme to a China Mail reporter. He spoke enthusiastically of the interesting week-ends which could be spent in the country with such an outfit. He pictured the fascination of being able to speak with Headquarters through the wireless telephone from say, Fanling, and receive "back talk." They would also be able to receive messages probably from as far out as Aden, and even hear the big English stations, provided the conditions were favorable. Besides being fascinating, with its element of mystery, wireless was also most instructive for those of an electrical turn of mind, and just the thing to be included in the training syllabus of the Engineer Company, if it was to be kept up to date and the interest of its members maintained. Running the searchlights at Belchers, besides the usual military training, was all the Company had to offer its members at present, and it could not sustain the esprit de corps which was so essential to efficiency. Wireless, he was confident, was one of the things which would help to give the necessary impetus to the revival of interest in the Company, which although not actually dead at present, was very nearly so.

Of course, Mr. Smith proceeded, he could not hope to begin from the very bottom and import the elementary knowledge of electricity before coming to wireless work. It would be too gigantic a task to attempt, and would take a tremendous long time. Enrolment in the Wireless Section of the Engineer Company would therefore be confined to those who already had some knowledge of electricity. Some of the members at present in the Engineer Company who were so qualified, could be transferred to the Wireless Section. "But, of course," Mr. Smith said, "it would not be confined to members of the Corps only. We want some new blood also. Anyone with the necessary qualifications (and those will not be placed too high), will be welcome to join." He felt confident that new members would not be long in coming once everything was shipshape and the Wireless Section properly organised.

Mr. Smith wound up with the announcement that he hoped soon, within the next two months, to give a "talk," on wireless, which the public would be welcome to attend. He would try to leave out all technicalities as far as possible, and to speak in plain language on the subject, with the aid of a receiving outfit rigged up probably at Volunteer Headquarters.

MORE SUGAR

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, Feb. 4.—The department of Commerce announces that the United States produced more cane sugar in 1922 than in 1919, but that the value of the product was 59.9 percent less.

French Rush More Troops To Germany

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protest against further expulsions from occupied districts. The French government, however, returned the note, on the ground that it was not couched in sufficently polite terms.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Essen, Feb. 4.—The first instance of the French loading coal themselves is reported from Danzhausen.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Feb. 4.—It is reported from Offenburg, Baden, that French cavalry entered the town at nine o'clock this morning and occupied the railway station, the post office, the barracks and the railway bridge. French troops have also occupied a railway station at Appenweier in Baden.

Offenberg is a rail and river junction point some forty kilometers southeast of Strassbourg, in Alsace.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Feb. 4.—"Vorwaerts" publishes an appeal by German trade unions to the American Congress, declaring on behalf of 12,000,000 members that the trade unions are firmly convinced that America did not enter the war for the purpose of annihilating the German people and that they look to America's sense of honor to save Europe and the world from disaster.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 4.—With regard to intervention of the United States in the difference between France and Germany as a result of the occupation of the Ruhr, President Harding has declared in a note that in no way would the United States assume the role of mediator in a purely European affair.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 4.—The Matin remarks that Sir John Bradbury, the British representative on the Reparations Commission, has departed from his policy of abstention from voting and that he voted with France, Belgium and Italy for a protest against the fact that insolvent Germany was paying grants to German shipbuilders for the construction of ships.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 3.—The Inter-Allied Commission today suspended four Coblence newspapers for three days for refusal to print a communication when ordered to do so.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 4.—The situation in the Ruhr is calm, and there is no change at Essen and Duesseldorf. Trains from Cologne to France and Belgium are running.

The Government of the Reich has proceeded rigorously against officials of the occupied territories who have shown themselves too conciliatory.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Feb. 3.—It is reported from Coblence that the French have arrested Herr Fuchs, Oberpraesident of the Rhine Provinces.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 3.—While the French newspapers continue optimistically to refer to a relaxation of tension in the Ruhr, speak of the Germans freely co-operating with the French and prophesy that traffic will be restored to normal in a few days, German journals intimate that the anti-French feeling is hardening throughout the country, giving as an instance the fact that the headquarters of the Reichswehr at Munich refused to talk with French and Belgian members of the Control Commission who sought to carry out an inspection.

It is learned in London that the Germans yesterday stopped the Paris-Bukharest and Paris-Prague expresses on the ground of shortage of coal. The French retaliated by suspending passenger traffic on the Karlsruhe Basle lines except the Hollando-Swiss express.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Feb. 4.—The French and Polish diplomatic representatives in Berlin have handed the German Foreign Office a Note protesting against the restriction of the international train services between France and Poland as a violation of the Peace Treaty.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 4.—A despatch from Duesseldorf states that the French troops have been withdrawn from Dortmund but that the French Customs officials remain. The boundary of the occupied zone continues east of Dortmund. Officially the town is still occupied.

Le Journal understands that prohibition of export of all industrial products from the Ruhr will shortly be announced.

(Reuter's Service)

Cologne, Feb. 3.—Fierce agitation has resulted from the recent order forbidding German policemen to salute French or Belgian officers. A policeman at Bochum was arrested today and horsewhipped for failing to salute. The French are confiscating the contents of shops refusing to serve French and Belgians.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 3.—The Reparations Commission today resolved to maintain its decision to refuse a moratorium to Germany and to insist on the enforcement of the schedule of payments fixed last year with regard to cash and wood. Britain abstained from voting.

(Reuter's Service)

Brussels, Feb. 3.—Two Belgian soldiers boarded an Oberhausen-Essen tramcar today. The refusal of the conductor to accept their passes led to an altercation, in which the passengers joined. An angry crowd attempted to eject the soldiers, who, in self-defence, used their arms, killing the conductor and wounding a passenger.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Feb. 3.—It is semi-officially stated that rumors that the Germans are preparing to yield to the French pressure are untrue. On the contrary, the Government's resistance is increasing.

CHILD KILLED

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 4.—A deplorable accident took place today at the Pillt (?) station at Duesseldorf. A corporal in charge of a cooks' fatigue slipped on the steps of the railway staircase, and accidentally discharged his rifle. A small girl was killed and another slightly wounded.

American Rail Loss $1,800,000,000

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, Feb. 5.—General James C. Davis of the Federal Railroad Administration reported today that the losses from the wartime operation of the railroads including lost earnings, guarantees and damage settlements, will total $1,800,000,000.

General Davis said that not only does that amount come within the appropriations already made to cover the wartime deficit, but that there will be returned to the Treasury about $400,000,000 in cash and railroads securities.

HOTEL BURNS

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Kingston, Feb. 5.—Fire today destroyed the Constant Spring Hotel, the largest in Jamaica. No casualties resulted but the guests, the majority of whom were British, lost all their belongings.

TO REVAMP CABINET

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, Feb. 5.—President Harding is expected to announce a complete readjustment of the Cabinet within the week as a result of the announced resignation of Secretary Fall.

KAO RETURNS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 1.—Mr. Kao Lingwei, Minister of the Interior returned to Peking this morning from Tientsin and attended the Cabinet meeting. It is understood that he will assume his post this afternoon.

U. S. Physicians Find "Flu" Germ

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Schnectady, N. Y., Feb. 4.—Dr. S. W. Flexner, director of the Rockefeller Institute today announced that two experimenters on the Institute's staff had discovered the germs which cause epidemics of influenza.

The doctors, he said, had succeeded in isolating the germs and permitting experiments with antidotes and antitoxins. They are so small that it was necessary to put them under microscopes that magnified them one thousand times before they could be seen distinctly.

The germs first attack the throat and nose and then attack the lungs, Dr. Flexner said, making the lungs susceptible to other germs, notably pneumonia bronchitis.

NEW CABINET

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Mebourne, Feb. 4.—Lord Forster has asked Stanley M. Bruce to form an administration, following the resignation of Premier Hughes. Parliament probably will be dissolved.

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Successful Stock Show Feature At Opening Of New French Abattoirs

A fancy live stock show, the first of its kind ever held in China and a highly successful experiment, was the principal feature at the official opening yesterday of the fine new Municipal abattoirs in Boulevard de Montigny, French Concession.

In the neighborhood of 300 blooded, finely groomed animals—including cattle, sheep, pigs, buffalo and goats—exhibited by both Chinese and foreign owners, made up the show and created great interest among the many visitors to the new plant.

Prizes were awarded the best three groups of entries in each class and the satisfaction of the various owners over the success of the exhibition was such as to guarantee a much more extensive competition next year, when it is proposed to hold a second show.

First, second and third prizes for imported beef cattle yesterday went respectively to the Culty Dairy, the Rosslawn Dairy and Shanghai Kong Ky. The prize-winning owners of Chinese beeves were Yu Ching-foh, first; Chen Shin, second and third. Chen Shin took first honors in the exhibit of veal animals and Siao Foh-seng both second and third.

Over 100 head of sheep were placed on show and the prizes went to Long Chin, Zeng Li and Long Ky. Ye Zeng-chin and Ty Gnen were nominated the most successful exhibitors of goats, while in the buffalo class O Foh-tah secured first and second prizes and O Gni-tah third.

An exceptionally lot of fine pigs, both imported and Chinese, were shown and received much attention. First honors for foreign stock in this division went to Mr. Chen Shin, who exhibited about half a dozen fancy porkers imported from America. Mr. Morriss took second prize with some fine specimens brought from Canada and the Inshallah Dairy (Mr. Evans), exhibiting, particularly, a fine Australian boar, was awarded third prize. Among the exhibitors of Chinese pigs, an excellent lot, Mr. Dang took first and second prizes and Wei Ky third.

The Judges of the show were Dr. S. W. Pratt, Dr. T. Edgar and Mr. Chapeau.

The new French Municipal abattoirs, which are probably the finest in China, were officially opened at noon yesterday by Mr. de la Prade, French Vice-Consul, who remarked on the happiness of the thought of holding a stock show in connection with the inauguration of the new plant. The suggestion of the exhibition came from Mr. P. Le Bris, of the French Municipal Council.

The abattoirs have been constructed on the most modern lines and are of a size which will permit the handling of a great many more animals than at present are required for slaughter. The killing rooms for the various classes of animals are all on one level, reached by gradual inclines, while underneath are steam heated stabling accommodations for about 2,000 pigs, 200 cattle, 200 buffalo, 200 goats and 200 sheep. From the pig stables—pork being the principal item—both lifts and runways lead to the upper floor, where two huge rooms are equipped for killing. Concrete tanks, piped full of boiling water and with six killing troughs radiating from each, are stationed through these rooms, which, if necessary, can show a killing capacity of over 2,000 animals a day.

Cattle, sheep, goats and buffalo each have their respective killing rooms, situated above their stables and each of the slaughtering departments is specially designed and equipped for quick removal of refuse and for being kept washed down and in the most sanitary condition.

Another feature is a system of over-head carriers, which permit easy and rapid movement of the larger carcases to any part of the plant.

A special killing room has been constructed for the use of Mohammedans, where their meat may be prepared in accordance with their creed.

Another part of the plant is a specially constructed incinerator for the destruction of condemned meat and refuse. It is planned also to add cold storage rooms so that meats may be stored by the butchers until required for the market.

The new abattoirs are in charge of Superintendent Feunteun.

Rain Dearth May Bring New Famine

(Continued from Page 1)

the effect on this crop will not be direct.

To speak only of the Kiangsu province, the rapeseed crop in the higher district has faded away, and in the lower district the growth is in a very unhealthy state. Even if there is good rainfall from now on the yield will be far below last season.

WHEAT CROP

In most part of the Kiangsu province the wheat is still alive but will die away if there is no good rainfall within the next fortnight. In the other parts of China the crop conditions are practically the same.

The exports of rapeseeds from China in 1921, the last year that the returns were compiled for were valued at Tls. 4,396,873, the quantity exported being 1,737,996 piculs of rapeseeds, and when it is piculs. The exports of rapeseeds the next season will certainly be very much smaller than this and prices naturally on the high level.

Japan is the largest buyer of Chinese rapeseeds, the exports to that country last year being about 400,000 piculs while in 1921 it was 1,122,198 piculs. In an average season we ship abroad 600,000 piculs of rapeseds, and when it is known that the next season's crop is almost certain to be worse than the last one it can be imagined how the export of this particular product is going to suffer.

The producing center of rapeseeds and beans is the Kiukiang province, Changsha for rice and Wuhu for wheat, rice, beans and peas.

Broadbeans will be affected, though not to the same extent as wheat, rapeseeds and rice, as this product does not require the same moisture. Broadbeans are exported from Hankow chiefly, Europe being the best customer, although fair quantities are taken from Shanghai annually by Japan.

MUSSOLINI OPTIMIST

(Italian Wireless Through Reuter)

Rome, Feb. 1.—Speaking at the Cabinet meeting today Premier Mussolini declared that he was not alarmed over the international situation, which he thought was improving rather than worsening. His optimism has created surprise in political circles where it was believed that war clouds were becoming visible both in the Near East and Germany.

Premier Mussolini also announced that the Government will organise a labor council with power to deal with wage disputes.

The Cabinet further decided upon the establishment of several steamship companies.

The Premier stated that he is negotiating with the Brazilian Government for the linking up of Italy with that country's cable.

NAVY LEAGUE

The annual meeting of the Shanghai Branch of the Navy League will be held this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the Shanghai Club. All members are requested to be present.

Obituary

PRINCE FUSHIMI

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 4.—Prince Sadanaru Fushimi died today.

The official announcement of the death of His Imperial Highness, following an attack of apoplexy, was issued after the arrival of the escort at his residence in Tokio from his country residence at Choshi.

The date of the State funeral, with the period of mourning, will be given out later.

Prince Fushimi was head of the House of Fushimi and 21st of the line. He was born on April 28, 1858.

His Imperial Highness took part in the Japan-China War as a Brigade Commander, commanded the First Army Division at the battle of Nanshan (May 26, 1904) and was promoted full General the next month. He was a member of the Supreme Council of War in 1905 and of the Imperial Mission to the Court of St. James in 1907 and was Honorary President of the Anglo-Japanese Exhibition, 1910.

Prince Fushimi attended the grand funeral ceremony of China in 1909 and the funeral of the late King Edward VII. He was Grand Master of the Imperial Funeral (April 14, 1912) and Lord Keeper of the Privy Seal in 1912. Prince Fushimi was granted the title of Marshal in 1915.

The date of the State funeral of Prince Sadanaru Fushimi has not been formally decided. It will probably take place on February 14. The period of Court mourning will be five days while all amusement will be stopped today and also on the day of the funedal.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Feb. 4.—It was decided at today's Cabinet meeting that the funeral of the late H. I. H. Field Marshal Prince Sadanaru Fushimi will be solemnised at State expense. His Majesty has ordered the Court business to be suspended for three days up to February 7 and also on the day of the State funeral, which is not yet fixed.

MRS. SHELDON RIDGE

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 3.—Mrs. Sheldon Ridge died here this morning. A funeral service will be held in the Peking Union Medical College Auditorium tomorrow.

KOTARO MUNAKATA

Mr. Kotaro Munakata, General Manager of the Eastern News Agency, died at the Shinozaki Hospital on Boone Road on Saturday of kidney trouble, at the age of 62.

Mr. Munakata had been a resident of China for nearly forty years although he made frequent trips to Japan on business and was considered an authority on Chinese affairs among Japanese. The remains were cremated yesterday and funeral services will be held upon the arrival of his family from Japan. Mr. Munakata had been decorated with the 4th Class, Order of Merit by the Emperor of Japan.

GENERAL KUROKI

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 4.—General Count Kuroki has died of pneumonia.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 5.—The private funeral of General Count Kuroki will take place on February 9.

Literary Section Of Woman's Club Meets Next Friday

The Literary Department of the American Woman's Club will hold its regular meeting on Friday afternoon, February 9, at 5 o'clock at the Royal Asiatic Society's Hall. Mrs. Frost, Chairman of the Art Section of the B.W.A., will speak on "Jades of the Han Period" and Mrs. J. H. Gray will read a paper on "High Lights in the Dark Ages."

To New York From Japan In 13 Days

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, Feb. 5.—What is claimed to be another new record in fast silk shipments from the Orient to New York has just been made. The consignment valued at $10,000,000 was shipped from Yokohama on an Admiral-Oriental liner and transported across the United States from Seattle in three trains of ten cars each in 13 days, 4 hours, and 55 minutes.

GETS DIVORCE

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

San Francisco, Feb. 4.—Madame Margaret Matzenur has been granted a divorce from Floyed Glatzbach, formerly her chauffeur, ending one of the most notorious divorce cases in the annals of California. Mme. Matzenur, a famous grand opera singer, met Glatzbach in Del Monte, hired him as her chauffeur, became fascinated with him, married him, and is now divorced from him within a little more than two years.

U.S. Refuses To Admit Soviet Owns Russ Refugee Ships

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, Feb. 4.—It is understood here that government officials have taken the view that the American government cannot recognise the Soviet government's claim to the vessels in which Admiral Stark recently arrived at Manila, with refugees from Vladivostok. It was stated that the question would have to be decided by the Philippine courts. In this connection it was pointed out that the Russian embassy property here is still considered to belong to the old Russian government.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, Feb. 5.—Secretary of War Weeks today said that the question of how much longer the Russian refugees with Admiral Stark's fleet would be allowed to remain in the Philippines was being left entirely to Governor-General Wood and the Insular government authorities.

The American restrictive immigrations laws do not apply to the Philippines, Secretary Weeks said.

WADDELL HONORED

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Kansas City, Feb. 5.—It was announced here today that Dr. J. L. Waddell, porminent American engineer who is now at his home here, had been awarded the Chiaho decoration by the Chinese Government in recognition of his services in engineering work on the Yellow river.

200 ARABS KILLED

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

London, Feb. 4.—A special despatch to the Times from Rome says that the Italian force in Tripoli began a series of operations yesterday with the object of extending their occupation of Turpuna. The Arabs lost about 200 and the Italians two.

PARENT TEACHERS' ASSN.

Dr. William A. McCall of the Southeastern University in Nanking, will speak before the Parent Teachers' Association of the Shanghai American School tomorrow afternoon at the National Y. M. C. A. headquarters. The lecture will be at 5:15 o'clock. Members of the Home Economics Department of the American Woman's Club are invited to attend. The Nanking physician will discuss intelligence tests for children.

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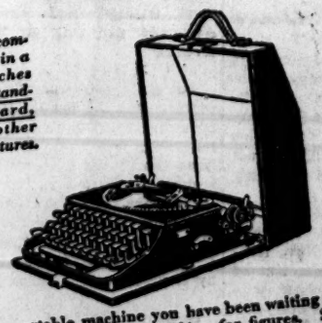

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McKINLEY OUT THIS AFTERNOON WITH U. S. MAIL

Australia Arrives Today; China Sails Friday—Angers In Today

The President McKinley, taking the next mail for America, docked at the China Merchants' Central Wharf early yesterday afternoon, and will sail at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. The vessel is due to arrive in Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on February 22. Mail to go on the McKinley will close at 11 o'clock this morning for ordinary, and registered should be posted before 10 o'clock.

The steamer China, taking the next mail for Honolulu, will leave Woosung for San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu next Friday. The President Pierce which sailed from Woosung early yesterday morning, will arrive in San Francisco by way of Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu on February 22.

With a heavy mail, the Empress of Australia arrived at Woosung about 3 o'clock this morning and will sail for Hongkong direct at 10 a.m. The tender with outbound passengers for Woosung will leave the Customs jetty at 8 o'clock this morning, and incoming passengers from the vessel are expected to land about 9.30.

After the arrival of the Empress boat, the next heavy mail from the States is due on the President Jefferson, February 12. The liner is due at Yokohama from Seattle tomorrow.

A mail from Europe is to arrive on the M.M. steamer Angers today, and the outbound mail for Europe via the Suez will go on the Angkor next Saturday.

The Angers comes from Marseilles and left Hongkong last Saturday. It will dock at the S. M. R. Whangpoo Wharf about noon today.

Chinese Is Charged With Making False Report To The Police

Charged with making a false report to the police in connection with an alleged highway robbery, a Chinese clerk was brought before Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Kwan at the Mixed Court yesterday.

Detective Sub-Inspector R. W. Yorke told the Court that the defendant had come to the police station the day previous and reported that he had been held up and robbed of $400 by three men near Peking and Honan Roads. He had been given the money by his employer, a confectioner at 244 North Honan Road, to take to an exchange shop. One of his assailants, the clerk reported, slashed open the money bag with a knife and afterward stabbed the victim with the blade. The police made exhaustive inquiries at the scene of the reported crime—one of the busiest localities in the district—but no one in the neighborhood had heard of any robbery. As to the knife wound shown by the defendant, it was about a quarter of an inch in width and of about the same depth, and in the opinion of a doctor had been inflicted by a scissors blade.

The case was remanded one week to permit the accused to produce witnesses, if he can.

Measles Causes Cathedral School To Close Down

The Cathedral School for Boys was closed down yesterday morning by order of the school's medical advisor, Dr. E. L. Marsh because of an outbreak of measles among the students. The school will remain closed until February 21.

Among the boys who have the measles are Guy and Anthony Robbins, sons of the Rev. Robbins, and Derek Strange, son of Mr. Strange of Hangchow, who are at the Isolation Hospital, and two sons of Inspector Young of central police station, who are at home.

Mexico To Pave Way For Recognition

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Mexico City, Feb. 5.—President Obregon has decided to appoint a commission of five to consider every aspect of Article 27 and make a report to the Mexican Congress. It is assured, unofficial spokesmen say, that the commission will recommend that changes be adopted.

Article 27 has been the chief point on which the United States has based its refusal to recognise the Obregon government in Mexico as under its present limitations discriminations are made against American oil operators.

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The Lion Tamers Must Wear Maxim Silencers

By Bud Fisher

News Brevities

266 bales raw silk, 15 bales wild and 145 waste silk were shipped from Shanghai to Lyons and ports on the M. M. steamer Cordillere, February 2.

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Mr. Robert L. Smyth, formerly a student interpreter at the American Legation at Peking, has been appointed a vice-consul at Hankow.

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The forthcoming weddings are announced of: Mr. Lewis Hodge Richards, 14 Darroch Road, and Miss Anna G. Yanson, same address; Mr. Walter John Fulker of the Chinese Maritime Customs, and Miss Juli MacLaurin, 22 Museum Road.

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Mrs. Ethel Cameron returned to Shanghai on the President McKinley yesterday from Manila.

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A Presidential Mandate under date of February 5 appointed Hsu Shih-yin, retired Governor of Anhui, director-general of the Aeronautical Department.

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The Eastern Times records the discovery of a 163-year old Chinese in Kwantien, Fengtien, named Wan Kuo-chang who practiced as a doctor sometime ago. He hails from Ponglai, Shanghai, the home of General Wu Pei-fu and went to Fengtien as a travelling salesman. His secret of longevity, he says, consists of walking at least one mile every day and resting his mind three hours besides his time of sleep.

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Miss Helen Ware will speak on "Chinese Fairy Tales" at the meeting of the Literary Department of the B.W.A. this afternoon at the club headquarters. The section will meet also the afternoon of February 20 when Mrs. Evan Morgan will speak on "An Afternoon With Welsh Authors."

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Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Pease announce the birth of a daughter at Dr. Fearn's Sanatarium on Sunday, February 4.

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The Literary Department of the American Woman's Club will meet February 9 at the old Carlton Cafe on Ningpo Road where a program of interest will be given. Mrs. A. H. Swan will speak on "Jades of the Han Period" and Mrs. J. H. Gray on "High Lights in the Dark Ages." On February 23, Mrs. G. C. Stockton will review Sir Aurel Stein's "Treasure Trove from Ancient Cathay" and Mrs. E. J. Anderson will talk on "Current Events."

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Mr. O. S. Cole, Manila moving picture man, leaves for Hongkong today on the Empress of Australia. Mr. Cole recently returned from the United States where he secured exclusive rights for the Philippines for Paramount and United Artists productions. The pictures will be exhibited at the Lyric and other theaters operated by Goulette and France.

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Gamblers caused congestion again at the Mixed Court yesterday when 62 men appeared as a result of a raid made Sunday by Detective Sergeant Beer and other officers from Central station at 71 Si Gee Bai Ka. The man designated as the proprietor of the place was fined $50, with the option of a month's imprisonment, and the rest were fined $3 each.

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A former servant of Mr. Gande, 1 Thorburn Road, was brought into the Mixed Court yesterday and charged with the theft of a gold watch and chain, valued at $500. The servant disappeared on Christmas night. The case was remanded one week for further investigation.

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Dr. J. V. Scott has just returned to Shanghai after several months business trip to the States. While there he took some special work in dentistry. He also purchased some new dental appliances which will enable him to render service using the most scientific methods.

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An Eurasian named Newbronner was sentenced to 15 years imprisonment at Singapore on January 30 for counterfeiting.

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The s.s. Laconia carrying a number of American tourists on a trip around the world, arrived at Singapore on January 30.

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Mr. S. Tanaka, the local Japanese Vice-Consul and Assessor, who is to be transfered to Changsha, leaves for his new post next month.

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The next program to be given by the Musical Section of the B. W. A. which is being arranged by Mrs. Armistead, will take place at headquarters on Thursday, February 15 at 5.15 p.m. and not as previously advertised on February 8. As there is no meeting of the Art Section on February 15 it was thought best to postpone the musicale till the following week, on account of the matinee of "Tom Jones."

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In addition to the interesting program of Chinese music to be conducted by Miss Louise Hammond of Wusih, assisted by Mr. Ernest Y. L. Yang, before the regular monthly meeting of the Shanghai Missionary Association today at the Union Church Hall, Mrs. Elizabeth Leonard of New York City, will render a vocal solo, and Miss Loise Macklin of the Shanghai American School faculty, will give several selections on the violin.

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The Norddertscher Lloyd, Bremen, s.s. Pfalz left Port Said on January 31 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on February 28. The steamer Weser of the same line is expected in Shanghai from Japan ports on February 20.

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It is reported that M. Joffe the Soviet envoy will soon return to Shanghai from Japan on account of the strict police supervision under which he has been placed by the Japanese government.

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The Tse-tse Shih Hua, or the Self-government Union of Shanghai, has addressed a telegram to the Ministry of Interior at Peking, inquiring whether the object of establishing the bureau for the examination of narcotics is to institute a government monopoly for the sale of the drugs.

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Under the new budget of the Philippines members of the House will receive an increase of Pesos 1,000 per year, and Senators will be cut Pesos 3,500 per year.

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A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Encaracao at St. Mary's Hospital on February 3.

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The Philippine Government is contemplating the establishment of an aerial mail service connecting the more important cities in the Islands.

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Twins, a boy and a girl, were born to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brewer at the Victoria Nursing Home on February 4.

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Alarmed by the increase of typhoid fever all school children in the Philippines are to be vaccinated according to plans made by the Bureau of Health.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clark announce the birth of a son at the Victoria Nursing Home on Feb. 4.

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A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. E. Denton at the Victoria Nursing Home on Feb. 4.

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Mrs. Ernest Thompson-Seton, who has been at the Astor House several days since her trip through China will sail for the United States today on the President McKinley.

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Sir Ernest Wilton, who has been at the Astor House for the last week left last night for Peking to assume his duties as Co-Director of the Salt Gabelle succeeding Sir Reginald Gamble.

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Mrs. Alice Bowen arrived yesterday on the President McKinley from Hongkong for a short visit.

Dr. C. C. Wu, son of the late Wu Ting-fang, returned to Shanghai yesterday on the President McKinley from Canton and Hongkong.

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Among passengers arriving on the President McKinley yesterday were Mr. Warren W. Achuck, Mr. George B. Cabot, Dr. E. C. Dudley, Mr. R. Luther, and Mr. L. T. Preston.

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Mr. J. H. Taggart, Managing Director of the Hongkong Hotels Company, who has been visiting in Shanghai on business, will sail for Hongkong this morning on the Empress of Australia.

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Among passengers sailing on the Empress of Australia today are Mr. W. S. Heaton, Mr. C. F. Wolsiffer, Mr. J. Madier, and Mr. Kan of Nanyang Brothers.

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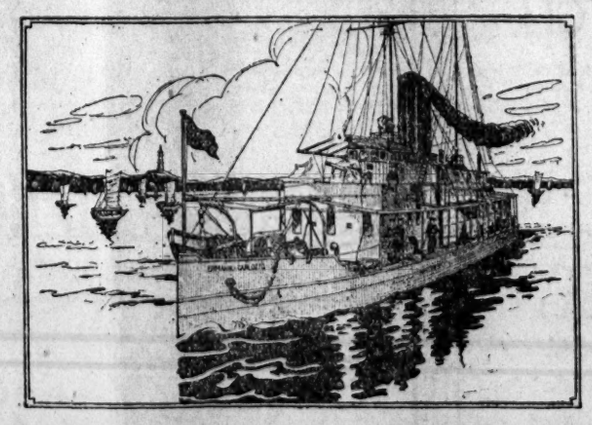

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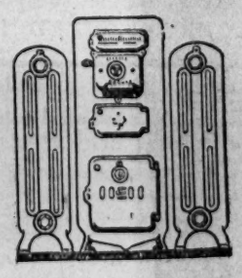

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BATTLE ON TONIGHT FOR SECOND PLACE

American School And Bearcats Fight In Foreign League

S. P. S. SURPRISES

Defeats Stripes Five 40-23; Mahon And Ross Star

LEAGUE STANDING

	W.	L.	Pct.
Blues	15	1	.937
American School	11	4	.733
Bearcats	10	5	.667
Stripes	5	11	.313
Public School	3	12	.250
Whites	2	13	.133

Tonight's Game, 9:00, at Y.M.C.A., American School vs. Bearcats.

Thursday's Games, 8:00 and 9:00 at Y.M.C.A., Blues vs. S. P. S., Bearcats vs. Whites.

Friday's Game, 5:30 at Rowing Club, American School vs. Stripes.

BY TOMMY GRAFTON

The Public School quintet surprised the Stripes in last night's Foreign League game at the Rowing Club, easily winning in the last ten minutes by a score of 40 to 23, after the Stripes had rallied in the second period and come within a point of tying the score.

The Public School took the lead at the start, and with Brockett shooting accurately into the baskets at close range, the School score mounted rapidly, until the Public School was leading 16 to 4. Then Ross pulled the Stripes together, and at half-time his team was trailing a 16 to 10 score.

There was a good deal of rough playing in the second half, and Referee Goldman was called upon several times to separate players. The Stripes started off with a fast attack, and pushed up to within a point of the winners, but Brockett and Levis again came through, and the game ended with the School team in the lead by 17 points.

Brockett and Levis were the individual stars, the former netting 13 attempts, most of them easy tries from under the basket. Levis was in the thick of the fight, and contributed to the scoring by timely passing and careful shooting. "Chimp" Mahon, the Public School star guard, was in great form, and guarded Brown closely.

Ross was the big man for the Stripes, scoring six goals, and brought his season's total to 67, three ahead of Coulcher, the Blue forward.

Tonight the Bearcats meet the American School five in the battle to practically decide the second position. Both teams are in good shape, and a hard game is doped.

Last night's summary follows:

Public School 40		Stripes 23
Levis	lf	Ross
Jesu	rf	Brown
Brockett	c	Johnston
Mahon	lg	Canda
Lewis	rg	Krisel
Remedios	c	Wilhelmi

Goals from floor: Levis 6, Brockett 13, Lewis, Ross 6, Brown 3, Wilhelmi 2. Goals from fouls: Ross 1. Referee: Goldman. Timekeeper: Shipley. Scorer: Grafton.

MRS. IRVINE WINS JANUARY CUP AT LADIES GOLF CLUB

In the January Competition of the Shanghai Ladies Golf Club the Challenge Cup was won by Mrs. H. Y. Irwine 1 up; Runner-up Mrs. V. H. Lanning.

Eclectic Competition. — (Kiangwan).

Lanning	....70—4	2-3=66	1-3
Stodart	....68—2	=66	
Fowler	....71—3	=68	
Enticknap	..72—3	1-3=68	2-3
Johnstone	..77—4	2-3=72	1-3
Fletcher	....78—5	1-3=72	2 3
Lofting	....76—3	=73	
Irwine	.....77—3	=74	
Ryde	.....79—4	=75	
Read (W.S.)	93—9	1-3=83	2-3

Season Medal.—(Kiangwan) Won by Mrs. Tweedie Stodart 82—6=76; 2nd Mrs. Lofting 86—9=77.

Extra Competition. — (Kiangwan). (Cup presented by Mrs. C. H. Ryde for the best Medal Score made during December and January).

Tie — Mrs. Baker 82; Mrs. Tweedie Stodart 82.

Club Cup. — (Shanghai). Tie—Mrs. S. A. Sleap 47—6=41; Mrs. T. J. Eldridge 49—8=41. 2nd Mrs. P. Fowler 47—5=42.

BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck

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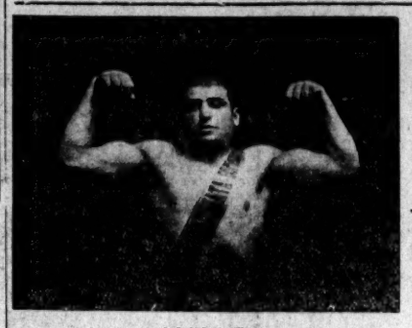
Two Stars On Town Hall Program



BURMISTER
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AN unusual card will be offered boxing and wrestling fans at the Town Hall tonight and tomorrow night when Russian refugees here will benefit from the proceeds of the two-night show. Burmister, a boxer and wrestler, and Pogello, on the right, the Italian champion, will be on the card.

-:- Sunday Gallops At Kiangwan -:-

Pony	Jockey	¼ mile	½ mile	¾ mile	1 mile	1¼ miles	1½ miles	Last ¼ miles
Little Darling	L. F. Soong	42.2	1.16.2	1.51	2.23.1	2.56.1		33.
Standlight	Moller	40.4	1.20	1.56.3	2,23.1	3.07.3	3.37.3	30.
Bright Folly	T. U. Yih	36.1	1.12.2	1.46.4	2.24.1	2.57.2		33.1
Takeo	Morimoto	42.	1.19	1.53.3	2.27.2	2.58		30.3
Fording Bridge	Boy	43.2	1.25	2.05.2	2.41.3	3.11.4		30.1
Conqueror Dahlia	Haimovitch	35	1.09	1.42.3	2.15.3	2.46		30.2
Idle Eyes	Boy	37.3	1.15.	1.50	2.21.3			31.3
Abbeyfield	Morriss	40	1.22.2	2.02	2.40	3.11	3.43.2	32.2
Foundation	Moller	39.2	1.17.3	1.54.3	2.29	3.01		32.
Ambition	Moller	40.	1.17.3	1.54.2	2.27.3	2.58.3		31.
Silver Wand	Crokam	38.3	1.14.1			2.55		
Pole Star	N. Dallas	34	1.08.3	1.43.1	2.17.2	2.50.1	3.21.2	31.1
Elevation	Moller	40.3	1.18.3	1.56.	2.31.3	3.03.3		32.
Young Fellow	Boy	36.3	1.12.3	1.48.2	2.21.2	2.52.1		31.1
Occupation	Moller	39.2	1.16	1.52.3	2.27.2	3.02	3.32.3	30.3
Zenda	Moller	30.3	1.03	1.35.1	2.08.3			33.2
Glenfield	Morriss	38.3	1.16.4	1.53.3	[illegible]	3.02.2	3.32.3	30.1
Maresfield	Heard	38.3	1.16.4	1.53.3	2.29	3.02.2	3.32.3	30.1
The Zebra	Boy	38.3	1.15.2	1.50.2	2.22.3	2.55	3.25.	30.
Tone	[illegible]er	37.3	1.14.2	1.49.2	2.22.4	2.56.4	3.28.3	31.4
Dawing Star	Dallas	38	1.15.2	1.51.4	2.26	2.58	3.29	31.
Shenkoland	Dallas	35.1	1.11	1.45.2	2.17.4	2.48.2		30.3
Lordship	Wong	36.3	1.12.3	1.49	2.24.3	2.56.4	3.27.3	30.4
Mastership	Wong	38	1.14	1.46.2	2.18.3	2.52.3		34.

Letters To The Sporting Editor

The Sporting Editor, THE CHINA PRESS.

Sir—

Inamuch as the questions which I am going to place before you and the public are of some importance to the Chinese world of sports, I crave your indulgence to give this letter your full publicity.

I paid 50 cents at the gate of the Chinese Public Recreation Ground to watch the football game between the Tsinghwa team and the eleven representing the Recs last Wednesday afternoon, and I found full justice that I should be charged thus, as it was announced in your paper that day that "a small admission fee will be charged at the gate in order to defray a part of the Tsinghwa team's travelling expenses."

I went there again yesterday to see the Police team in action. I was charged this time 20 cents for admission. I made inquiries and was informed that admission fee is demanded at every game this season.

I understand that the Chinese Public Recreation Ground was opened by the Chinese Municipal authorities for the benefit of the Chinese public, and has been supported by it. In view of the nature of the organisation, I fail to see any necessity for it to charge admission on every game.

Most of the members of the team are business-men and are bona-fide amateurs. They play the game simply for the love of the sport which they had learned to play in their school days.

So far as I know, they never get a cash. But the public who pay and watch the games do not know of it. Are the players not running the risk of their good names, as the public would consider them as professionals.

Several games have been played with local foreign teams this season, and I am sure none of them got any part of the gate receipts, as in most cases they were ignorant of the fact that admission was charged. But even if they knew of it, they would not claim their share. Is this a fair proposition to the visiting teams? Is the management of the club doing an honorable thing? What is the object of the organisation, anyway? To make money or to do some service to the Chinese community?

I am waiting for an explanation.

Yours truly,
"Puzzled."

February 5, 1923.

TOM WADE OFF FOR TIENTSIN; IS HONORED BY FANS

Tom Wade, for years prominent in athletics in Shanghai, one of the premier footballers of the city, left for Tientsin last night. He has been transferred to the Tientsin Office of the British-American Tobacco Company.

Tom was given a great farewell at the Thirty Club Saturday night when he was the honor guest at a dinner given by several of his friends.

Messrs. E. P. Graham-Barrow and Mena Silas provided an excellent entertainment. A beautiful silver service was presented to the departing athlete.

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With the lotteries for the I. R. C. China New Year meeting coming tomorrow at 5:30 p.m. in the Club Room owners are anxious to find out the merits of their ponies with the result that some very fast gallops have been done. Of the griffins "Abbeyfield" did a slow mile and three quarters but finished a fast last ½ mile in 1.03-2/5 seconds. His stable companion "The Glenfield" went over 1½ mile with "Maresfield" and finished his last half mile in 1.03-3/5 seconds.

Towards the finishing post, Mr. Morriss called on the pony which responded gamely beating Maresfield by a length and a half. This is a splendid performance for a griffin. A sensational gallop was done by Mr. T. T. Chow's Dun Griffin with white socks, the "Zebra". He finished his 1½ mile in 3.25 with last 1 mile in 2.09-3/5, last ¾ of a mile in 1.33-3/5, last ½ of a mile in 1.02-2/5 and last ¼, 30 seconds.

It is a wonderful performance and compares favorably with that of "Glenfield" of 3.24 over the similar distance done some time ago.

A faster gallop than this was done by G. L. Ho's "Polar Star" over the same distance in 3.21-2/5 seconds but his last one mile was 2.10-4/5, his last ¾ of a mile 1.33-1/5 and his last ½ of a mile 1.04 seconds. This pony's whole time was faster than "Zebra's," yet the last three quarters would show the great difference between them.

Of the old ponies "Conqueror Dahlia" certainly is coming on wonderfully well. His 1¼ in 2.46, last ½ of a mile 1.03-2/5 and last ¼ in 30-2/5 is as satisfactorily as can be desired. "Shenkoland's" 1¼ in 2.48-2/5 is also satisfactory.

Business was done 5 to 1 against "Shenkoland" in the Champions. "Symphony," the well-known Tientsin pony, has been doing well with Johnstone up. He did a satisfastory gallop of a mile in 2.13 at the Shanghai Course on Saturday and finished well.

Scotland Beat Wales At Rugby; Score 11-8

(*Reuter's Service*)

Cardiff, Feb. 3.—Forty-five thousand people witnessed the Rugby International between Scotland and Wales here today. The weather was fine and the turf good.

Scotland beat Wales by 11 points to 8.

QUAYLE IS TO CAPTAIN INTERPORT

Police Football Star Will Make Trip To Hongkong

TORRY IS "V. C."

Gabbutt, Manager, To Guide Training; No More Matches

There will not be any further Interport trial games before the team leaves for Hongkong on February 14.

Mr. J. F. Gabbutt, who has been appointed team manager and secretary, has now taken charge of the players for training purposes, and it has been arranged that the members of the team, together with such other local players as care to join, shall meet at the Police ground at 5 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, before their departure.

After the Interport trial match on Saturday last, the team held an informal meeting in the committee room of the Shanghai Recreation Club. At this meeting, the question arose as to who was to be Captain of the team, the Association having decided to leave it to the players themselves. The matter was put to the vote, with the result that of the twelve present, five voted for Mr. T. W. R. Wilson, five for Mr. J. A. Quayle, the two remaining votes being divided between two other players. Another vote was taken, with the result that Mr. Quayle, with seven votes, was elected Captain, and Mr. Wilson, with five votes, Vice-Captain.

The actual eleven to represent Shanghai in the Interport game

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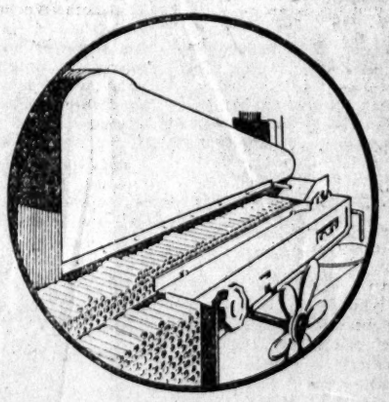

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AMERICAN SCHOOL GIRLS BEATEN BY CATHEDRAL

The Cathedral School girls' basketball team was victorious in the game against the American School yesterday afternoon at the Rowing Club, pulling away from the S. A. S. girls in the final five minutes of play and winning by a score of 42 to 32.

It was a pretty exhibition of basketball throughout, with both teams scoring frequently. Margaret Boyes was a little too good for the American girls, and scored 15 baskets for the winners. Helen Newton played a grand forward game for the S. A. S., caging 11 goals from the floor and two from the foul line.

The Cathedral School secured the ball on a number of occasions through the brilliant work of the centers, who were quick and managed to get the ball before the American girls could reach the end of the field. The S. A. S. guards, especially Elizabeth Grier, deserve a lot of credit, but they were too small to guard the Cathedral School forwards effectively.

The American School opened the game with a weak line-up and the Cathedral School pushed into an early lead which could not be overcome. The score at half-time was 24 to 16, and although the S. A. S. crept up within a basket of equalising, in the second half the winners came through at the end, and scored several easy goals.

The summary follows:

Cathedral School American School
M. Boyes f Helen Newton
Y. Crighton f Margaret Smith
J. Crighton c M. Patterson
J. Taylor c V. Newhard, R. Estes
P. Steward g E. Grier
M. Douglas g R. Newton, M. Martin

Cathedral School Scoring: Goals from floor: M. Boyes 15' Y. Crighton 6. American School Scoring: Goals from floor: Helen Newton 11, M. Smith 4; Goals from fouls: Helen Newton 2.

ANDREWS' TEAM IS WINNER OF LIGHT HORSE RACE

The Light Horse ride for the Section cups presented by Major A. V. Monk, started at 11 o'clock Sunday under the same conditions as last year over about a four and a half mile course of jumping country.

The ride was won by 2/Lieut. Andrews' team from No. 2 Troop, "A" Squadron, the card and times reading as follows:

1.—2/Lieut. Andrews, M.C., Cpl. Toeg, L/Cpl. Liddell and Tpr. Fiddes Wilson. Net time, 16 min. 05 sec.

2.—Lieut. Spence, Cpl. Rodger, Tpr. Strang-Lund and Columbine. Net time, 16 min. 42 sec.

3.—Lieut. Trenchard Davies, M.C. L/Cpls. Greig and Gordon, and Tpr. Newbigging. Net time, 16 min. 46 sec.

4.—Major McMichael, L. H. S. M. Lienard, Sgts. Fuzzey, M.C., and Fletcher. Net time, 16 min. 50. sec.

5.—Captain Robinson, 2/Lieut. Wingrove, S.S.M. Dalgarno and Rough-Rider Hill. Net time, 17 min. 50 sec.

After the event, Major McMichael thanked Colonel Marr Johnson for distributing the prizes and on behalf of the Light Horse wished him the best of luck in the future. Col. Marr Johnson, in replying commented on the race and emphasised the military value of the ride in encouraging team work.

Peking Race Club Elects 1923 Officers

At the annual meeting of racing members of the Peking Club the following were elected Stewards for the year 1923:

A. C. Henning H. F. Henningsen, H. Marzot, David Frazer, D. C. Mieville, E. Teichman and C. L. L. Williams.

Interesting resolutions were introduced and passed to the effect that hereafter in all Peking Race Club fixtures there will be two races daily exclusively for ponies that have been trained in Peking. Another amendment has to do with the prizes for the various events, it having been decided that the stakes for all events shall be augmented something like fifty percent.

Lusitano Club Cue Artists Lead In Billiard League; Thirty Club Men Second

The Club Lusitano won all five games against the Customs and established a good lead in the Inter-Club Billiard League last week.

The Cercle Sportif lost four to the Thirty Club, Nichol being the only player to win a game for them. Bush accounted for Johnson by the big margin of 123 points, and putting on breaks of 50 and 58. Jensen defeated Porter by eight points and put up the best break of the week—72. Porter's best was 68.

Captain Barrett put up a 63, in his game against Prince at the Masonic Club, which match he won easily. The results for the week were:

CERCLE SPORTIF		CLUB LUSITANO	
R. C. K. Johnson	177	J. P. de Campos	300
C. W. Porter	292	G. M. P. Remedios	300
R. D. Nichol	300	A. F. Gomes	300
H. E. Brewer	199	J. M. C. Lopes	300
W. N. Hansell	91	F. M. Alvares	300
	1,059	Total	1500

Mr. A. F. Gomes made a break of 55.

CUSTOMS		THIRTY CLUB	
Capt. B. H. Gowing	289	E. D. Bush	300
J. Maggs	180	J. V. Jensen	300
Capt. E. B. Green	296	H. B. Ollerdessen	260
T. Mellows	180	T. E. Poignand	300
A. G. Chapman	231	G. O. Wotten	300
Total	1176		1,460

MASONIC		MUNICIPAL	
J. W. Prince	165	Captain Barrett	300
C. Komaroff	227	E. Fastings	300
R. Phillips	300	C. Hawkins	189
C. Dewing	300	C. Higgs	289
S. Shirvington	232	R. W. Yorke	300
	1,224		1,378

LEAGUE TABLE TO DATE

	W	L	For	A'gst
Lusitano	6	0	8,588	7,118
Thirty	4	2	8,348	7,092
Municipal	4	2	8,338	8,926
Cercle Sportif	2	4	7,489	7,883
Masonic	1	5	7,225	8,093
Customs	0	6	6,499	8,485

English Cup; 2nd Round Many Surprise Results

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb., 3.—Association Football.

F. A. CUP—SECOND ROUND

Middlesborough 1, Sheffield U. 1.
Bury 3, Stoke 1.
South Shields 0, Blackburn R. 0.
Bristol City, 0, Derby County 3.
Plymouth Argyle 4, Bradford 1.
Tottenham H. 4, Manchester U. 0.
Sheffield Wed. 2, Barnsley 1.
Millwall 0, Huddersfield 0.
Chelsea, 0, Southampton 0.
W. Bromwich 2, Sunderland 1.
Brighton and Hove 1, West Ham 1.
Wolverhampton 0, Liverpool 2.
Leicester 0, Cardiff 1.
Bolton W. 3, Leeds 1.
Wigan 2, Queen's Park R. 4.
Charlton 2, Preston 0.

As THE CHINA PRESS has received numerous inquiries about the first round of the English Football Association Cup Competition, and as the detailed results have not reached Shanghai as yet, we append the "draw" for same, taken from latest London papers, so that readers may follow the competition from the start:

Portsmouth v. Leeds United.
Merthyr Town v. Wolverhampton W.
Brighton and Hove A. v. Corinthians.
Huddersfield Town v. Birmingham.
Aberdare Athletic or Carlisle United v. Preston North End.
Chelsea v. Rotherham County.
Plymouth Argyle v. Notts County.
Derby County v. Blackpool.
Bradford City v. Manchester United.
Queen's Park Rangers v. Crystal Palace.
Everton v. Bradford.
Clapton Orient v. Millwall.
Swindon Town v. Barnsley.
Notts Forest v. Sheffield United.
Liverpool v. Arsenal.
Aston Villa v. Blackburn Rovers.
Cardiff City v. Watford.
Blyth Spartans v. Stoke.
South Shields v. Halifax Town.
Sheffield Wednesday v. New Brighton.
Hull City v. West Ham United.
Wigan Borough v. Barrow or Bath City.
Sunderland v. Burnley.
Oldham Athletic v. Middlesbrough.
West Bromwich Albion v. Stalybridge Celtic or Bristol Rovers.
Norwich City v. Bolton Wanderers.
Bury v. Luton Town.
Manchester City v. Charlton Athletic.
Bristol City v. Wrexham.
Newcastle United v. Southampton.
Tottenham Hotspur v. Worksop Town.
Leicester City v. Fulham.

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

(Reuter's Service)

Notts Forest 2, Arsenal 1.
Aston Villa 2, Manchester C. 0.
Oldham 2, Birmingham 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Aberdeen 4, Ayr 1.
Albion R. 3, Morton 0.
Clyde 2, Airdrieonians 0.
Falkirk 1, St. Mirren 1.
Hibernians 2, Third Lanark 0.
Kilmarnock 4, Celtic 3.
Motherwell 2, Alloa 0.
Partick Thistle 2, Dundee 0.
Raith Rovers 2, Hearts 1.
Rangers 3, Hamilton 0.

Quayle Is To Captain Interport

(Continued from Page 5)

has not finally been decided on, and it is probable that the team will not definitely be chosen till the end of this week.

The Hongkong team to oppose Shanghai in the Interport match will we understand, be as follows:

Swan (Police), Gerrard (H.K. F.C.), Chan (South China), Hudson (Tamar), Stewart (H.K.F.C.), Leung Yuk-tong (South China), Chu Kwong-yung (South China), Forsyth (H.K.F.C.), Begg (H.K. F.C.), Dr. Valentine (Police), and Chan Kwong-yiu (South China).

Reserves: Wynne (King's), McLaren (Police), Valentine (H. K.F.C.) and Ip Kau (South China).

It will be seen that in the actual eleven, the Hongkong Football Club and South China A.C. have five representatives each, the Police two, and H. M. S. Tamar one. The reserves are drawn from the King's Regiment, the H.K.F.C., South China, and the Police, one each.

From what little information is available in Shanghai Hongkong has an especially good right-wing and center forward, and for that reason it is good that the redoubtable "Jimmy" Quayle will be able to make the trip. Quayle is right on top of his form just at present, and with the remainder of the team playing anything like normal, Hongkong will have to arrive hard to get possession of the Shanghai flag.

A miniature of the Hongkong Interport flag has been forwarded to Shanghai by the Honorary Secretary of the Hongkong Football Association. The actual flag is six feet by four, and consists of one white horizontal stripe inside two blue ones. The white stripe is superimposed with the letters "H.K.F.A." The whole effect is very neat, and we can only hope that the original flag will be adorning one of Shanghai's clubhouses within the next few weeks.

SATURDAY GAMES

The following is the official program of League football for Saturday, February 10:

FIRST LEAGUE

(Matches postponed from February 3 on account of Interport Trial match)

S. R. C. vs. M. Engineers, S. R. C. ground.
Public School vs. S. F. C. Police ground
St. Xavier's vs. Police, Hongkew.

SECOND LEAGUE

(Matches postponed from January 1 on account of the Interport Trial match)

Customs vs. Public School 2nd. Hongkew.
Hanbury School vs. St. Xavier's 2nd. Hongkew.
Club Lusitano vs. Rangers. S. F. C. ground.
Police 2nd vs. H. B. M. Navy. Polo ground.
S. R. C. 2nd vs. S. F. C. 2nd. Widow's Monument.

The Committee of the Shanghai Football Association has ordered the Second League match between the Thomas Hanbury School and the Customs, which should have been played on January 27 and for which, owing to a misunderstanding, one team turned up at Hongkew Park and the other at the Recreation ground, shall be replayed.

SCORE WAS 2-1

The Honorary Secretary of the Shanghai Football Association announced yesterday that the official result of the Second League match between the S.F.C. and Rangers on Saturday last was two goals to one in favor of the S.F.C. 2nd, and not three goals to one, as stated in the week-end paper.

AT HIS WIFE'S REQUEST

British Soldier in India Tells How Baby's Own Tablets Have Helped Their Infant Son.

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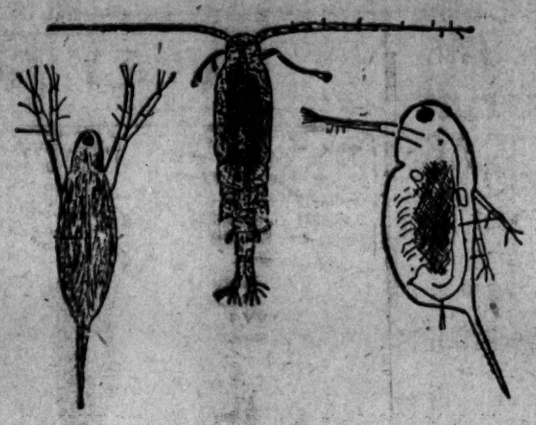

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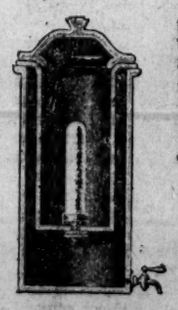

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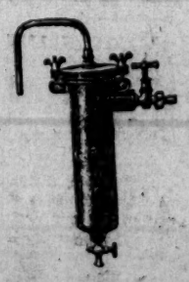

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Peking Decides To Issue New Loan

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, Feb. 5.—In order to pass over the China New Year settlement, the Chinese Government has decided to issue short term loan and after having had an understanding with the bankers, it has been placed before the House of Representatives. The House of Representatives had an urgent meeting today to discuss it.

The important points are as follows:

(1) The loan be called the Short Term Loan of eight percent of the 12th Year of the Republic.

(2) Total sum to be raised: $12,000,000.

(3) Interest: 8 percent.

(4) Security: Revenue of the Customs and octoroi of Peking of the 13th fiscal year of the Republic.

(5) Issue price: 82 percent.

Missionary Assn. To Meet This Afternoon

"Chinese Music" will be discussed at the meeting of the Shanghai Missionary Association this afternoon at 6 o'clock at the Union Church Hall by Miss Louise Hammond of Wusih.

Miss Hammond, who has been making a study of Chinese music for several years will be assisted in presenting her subject by Mr. Ernest Y. L. Yang.

Other features of the program will be a group of songs by Mrs. Elizabeth D. Leonard, well known New York contralto and violin solos by Miss Louise Macklin of the Shanghai American School faculty.

"Yellow Jacket" Opens Thursday

"The Yellow Jacket," the new tea and tiffin rooms to be opened at 17 Nanking Road by Miss Grace Bean, Miss Christine England and Miss Jessie B. Love, formerly nurses at Dr. Fearn's Hospital will serve tea for the first time on Thursday afternoon. No tiffin will be served on Thursday although tiffins are to be a feature in the new eating place in the near future.

Rent Case Heard In British Court

Judgement for Tls. 300 and costs was given Mr. G. T. Guignand against Mr. L. J. Parlane for rent due on premises at 8 Avenue Road for July, August and September, by Judge Peter Grain in the British Supreme Court yesterday.

Mrs. R. Guignand testified that Mr. Parlane had been employed by the General Electric Company of China, Ltd., and that he had moved from the Avenue Road address in October, merely saying that owing to unforseen difficulties it was impossible for him to pay.

MOVIE INVENTION

(Reuter's Service)

The Hague, Feb. 3.—Two Dutchmen have invented a film by which four pictures are shown simultaneously, giving the effect of a stereoscope.

RAIL STRIKE

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, Feb. 5.—The Peking-Hankow Railway is at a complete standstill as a result of the trainmen's strike.

Athletic Carnival Starts Tonight; To Aid Russ Refugees

Three wrestling matches, as many scraps and an exhibition of weight lifting will feature the card at the Town Hall tonight when the first program of a two-night show will be staged in aid of Russian refugees here.

A big crowd is expected to turn out as the attractions and the reason for the benefit are entirely deserving of support.

George Parkes, the Public School miracle man, is in charge of the affair and says that the program will be a hummer. The energetic secretary of the Boxing Club is in the habit of arranging attractive shows.

Bomb Wounds 11 At Great World Movie Show Sunday Night

Eleven guests at the Great World Amusement Park on Avenue Edward VII were injured on Sunday night when a bomb exploded in the cinema and threw the audience into a panic. Several letters threatening to blow up the place had been previously received by the management. But little attention was paid to them because former threats had merely resulted in the throwing of missives of the tin can variety.

The bombs was placed in the middle of the fourth row of the theater where it was thick with humanity. Shortly after nine o'clock, someone stepped on the infernal machine and a great commotion ensued.

The wounded were Shen Ah-feng, an 18-year-old girl; Yang Tse-hsiang, a watch maker; Ku Kwan, piece-goods broker; Chang Kung-kwun, coolie of the Kiangfoo steamer; and Chwang Teh-fu, Yoh Yu-ling, Tu Shou-ching, Yi Ling-ping, Liu Yong-hsin, Chow Yih-sung and Mou Chai-sung, unemployed.

MORO AMUCK

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, P. I., Jan. 24.—One Constabulary man was killed and an officer and another private wounded by a Moro who ran amuck in Tandu, Luuk, on Sunday morning, according to a report just received at Constabulary headquarters here.

The report states that the crazed Moro was finally killed by the members of the detachment he had attacked.

SKATING RINK BURNS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 2.—Fire occurred at midnight yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. skating rink off the Hatamen and completely destroyed the rink and contents, including the skates of members. Damage is estimated at several thousand dollars.

The sparks set fire to an adjoining "peng" store which was completely gutted under the eyes of the frantic owner who tried to throw himself into the flames. His loss, which is not covered by insurance, is $7,000.

EDITOR HERE

Mr. Albert R. Carman, editor of the Montreal Star and one of the prominent newspapermen of Canada, accompanied by Mrs. Carman, arrived in Shanghai yesterday on the President McKinley on the last lap of a trip around the world. They are at the Astor House Hotel.

Announce Chamber Music Program For Thursday

The following program will be given by the Municipal Orchestra under the leadership of Mastro Mario Paci with the collaboration of Mrs. W. B. Christian (pianist) on Thursday evening at 9:15 at the Town Hall:

1.—First String Quartet (1st Performance in Shanghai) ..... Cl Debussy
(a) Anime et tres decide
(b) Assez vif et bien rythme
(c) Andantino doucement expressif
(d) Tres modere—Tres mouvemente et avec passion
Messrs: A. Foa (1st Violin)—W. Wegman (2nd Violin)
Messrs: B. Gershgorn (Viola)—P. Brunelli (Cello)

2.—Romanza (with Variations) for Two Pianos..Edw. Grieg
Mrs. W. B. Christian (1st Piano)
Mo. Mario Paci (2nd Piano)

3.—a) Romanza (A minor) for Oboe with Piano accomp. Schumann
b) Habanera (A major) for Oboe with Piano accomp. J. Bordier
Mr. F. Felicani (Oboe)

4.—Andante and Variations for Two Pianos .....Sinding
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The Tenth Chamber Music and Soloist Concert will be given on Thursday, February 22, at 9:15 p.m. Admission: $1.

Wedding

HOWARD—WAGNER

Mr. Claude E. Howard and Miss Helen M. Wagner were married on Saturday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Moss on Saturday morning. The ceremony was performed by Reverend George A. Fitch.

LUDENDORFF ABUSED

(Reuter's Service)

Vienna, Feb. 4.—General von Ludendorff received a very hostile reception on his arrival at Klagenfurt today to address a Nationalist meeting. Hundreds of workmen surrounded his motor-car, shouting "Murderer!" "Bloodhound!" "Traitor" and "Germany's grave-digger!". The demonstrations continued until late at night.

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M.C.C. Team Scores 401 In Test Match With New Zealand

(Reuter's Service)

Wellington, Feb. 3.—Five thousand people were present on the second day of the Test Match between the M.C.C. and New Zealand. The weather was ideal and the wicket fast.

The M.C.C. carried their first innings score to 401. Chapman was out at 71, adding only two runs to his overnight score. McLean made 53 and Lowry played a sound and forceful 130.

When stumps were drawn New Zealand's score stood at 178 for 5 wickets. Collins scored 69 and Blunt was not out with 65.

Scores: New Zealand 166 (Bernan 61) and 178 for 5 wickets.
M.C.C. 401.

AT JOHANNESBURG

(Reuter's Service)

Johannesburg, Feb. 3.—In fine weather and before an attendance of 7,000 the match between the M.C.C. and the Transvaal opened today. The wicket was softish.

Mann won the toss. The M.C.C. made 262. Russell scored 81 in a stylish innings, characterised by good cutting. He hit ten 4s. Wooley batted an attractive 62. Nupen gave the best bowling display for the Transvaal, taking 5 wickets for 48.

The close of play score for the Transvaal was 58 for 0 wicket.

EXCHANGE MARKET

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 3.—Foreign exchanges made a substantial recovery today and closed with French francs quoted at 73.05; Belgian francs at 82.75; Italian lire at 97 and marks at from 168,000 to 173,000. Sterling on New York was quoted at 4.67⅝.

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Rebel Activities Alarm Ireland

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 3.—The rebel campaign of arson and destruction in reprisal for the Free State executions reached its height during the past week and included the destruction of the residences of two Senators and of a number of other prominent figures in the Free State, the burning of two main-line trains and the destruction of the Cavan-Leitrim railway locomotive works and also of Youghal's water supply.

The situation is so serious that the members of the Republican Army who left the Force when the Anglo-Irish Treaty was signed and did not take part in the civil war have convoked a national convention for tomorrow with a view to making peace.

The latest utterances of de Valera and the Minister of Home Affairs, Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, however, do not suggest that the effort will be successful.

De Valera, interviewed at his hiding place, emphasised his intention of continuing the rebellion. He expressed the opinion that the Free State was doomed.

Mr. O'Higgins today retorted that de Valera, like his compatriot Don Quixote, was tilting at windmills. The Government would take the grimest decisions if organised sabotage continued.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 4.—A delegation of Irishwomen visited the Petit Luxembourg today to present to the Council of the League of Nations a protest against the executions in Ireland.

FERNOTTE RELEASED

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 3.—M. Pernotte, the former Manager of the Banque Industrielle de Chine, has served his term of imprisonment and was released last night.

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Peking Notes

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 3.—The Finance Minister, in a circular telegram to the Provinces, states that the Treasury is empty, the revenue from the 11th Year Bonds is exhausted, the Customs and Salt funds cannot be touched and the Government needs $10,000,000 to tide over the New Year. The Provinces should do their utmost to remit funds to Peking.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 3.—Admiral Tu Hsi-kuei, Chief of the Navy at Shanghai, interviewed the President this morning and appealed for funds to pay his forces.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 3.—Prince Nayinto, Pacification Commissioner for Outer Mongolia, has left for Paotingfu to consult General Tsao Kun with regard to the restoration of Outer Mongolia.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 31.—Today's agenda of the House of Representatives includes the Government of the League of Nations and a proposal that State funerals be accorded Dr. Wu Ting-fang and Admiral Chen Pi-kwang.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 31.—With regard to the appointment of Mr. Yang Chang to investigate the conditions of Chinese in Batavia and the Malay States, it is stated that he will conduct inquiries as well in other parts of the world where there are residents in numbers.

The object of the Mission, it is announced, is to persuade the Chinese abroad to refrain from interfering in politics and devote themselves instead to industrial and commercial projects.

Mr. Yang will start for abroad after the China New Year.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 31.—Two Mandates are being issued this evening. One appoints General Lin Chun-ping Tuli of Military affairs for Kwangsi. The other appoints Mr. Ting Huai Commissioner for the Pacification of Kwangtung and Kwangsi.

Shipping Case Up In American Court

At the U. S. Court for China yesterday, before Judge C. S. Lobingier, the case of Yu Fong Steamship Co. v. William Katz, trading under the name of Wm. Katz and Co., was heard.

Mr. H. D. Rodger appeared for the plaintiff, and Major Holcomb and Mr. J. B. Davies, of Davies and Bryan, were for the defense.

The plaintiffs set forth that they are a Chinese Company doing business in Shanghai, China, and that the defendant is an American citizen and sole proprietor of Wm Katz and Co. On or about 20th of December, 1921, the plaintiff and the defendant entered into a time charter party by the terms of which the plaintiff chartered a steamship called the "Hwah Jah" to the defendant upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the said charter party.

After due demands the defendant has failed and refused to pay the plaintiff the said charter hire for the 5th and 6th months of the term thereof and it is now due and owing from the defendant to the plaintiff in the sum of Hongkong $26,296.35.

Mr. Davies said that the money for 5th and 6th months was not paid.

He further stated that he would ask for an adjournment as the documents, correspondence, as well as other papers are in the hands of arbitrators who are in Hongkong.

After a long discussion as to the adjournment, it was decided to continue the case next Monday.

29 Principals Of Kiangsu Schools Resign In Body

The principals of twenty-nine government schools in Kiangsu province have tendered their resignation in a lenghty communication addressed to Mr. Han Kuo-chuan, Civil Governor of the province recently.

The reason for this wholesome resignation, as stated in the letter, is fourfold:

(1) The bill recently introduced in the Provincial Assembly, providing for a curtailment of the educational appropriations in the annual budget.

(2) The arrears of teachers' salaries and of other expenses incurred by the educational institutions, which has been a chronic impediment to the efficient administration of the various government schools.

(3) The political agitation which prevails among the student body.

(4) The system of political spoils, which leads the members of the Provincial Assembly to ask the school authorities to award teaching positions to their worthless favorites.

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Business and Official Notices

Harbour Notification No. 4 of 1923

Harbour Regulations for the Port of Shanghai.

The attention of navigators is called to Clause No. 17 of the Harbour Regulations which reads as follows:

17.—"Vessels under way to the westward of the lower end of the Standard Oil Company's wharf shall proceed at no greater speed than is necessary to keep the vessel under control."

Several cases having occurred recently of damage caused to mooring ropes and wharves by vessels passing through the harbour at high speed, mariners are requested to observe strictly the above clause of the Harbour Regulations.

When near low water heavy vessels, besides proceeding at slow speed, should endeavour to give ships lying alongside wharves where the water is shallow as wide a berth as possible, as the suction caused under these conditions is liable to do damage.

H. E. HILLMAN,
Harbour Master officiating

Approved:
L. A. LYALL,
Commissioner of Customs.

Custom House,
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Creditors are required to send to the undersigned their names and addresses, and particulars of their debts or claims on or before 1st March, 1923, after which date no further claims will be recognised.

All debts due to the estate should be paid to us forthwith and debtors are warned not to pay their debts to any person or persons other than ourselves.

SETH, MANCELL AND McLURE,
Official Court Accountants.
7 Avenue Edouard VII.
Shanghai, 30th January, 1923.
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship's damaged cargo ex the s.s. "President Jackson," will be held at the China Merchants' Central Wharf on Tuesday, February 6th, at 9:30 a.m. when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy. Marine Surveyors will be in attendance.

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Paid up Capital.. $.5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund .. $200,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

K. CHENG,
Manager.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd
Established 1908

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$206,400.00
Undivided Profits	$120,751.00

Head Office and Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimen, Hankow, and Lanchi.
Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA'S principal Cities.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and fixed Deposits according to arrangements.
Saving Accounts at 4% compound interest.
Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

LI MING, Manager.
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 Hankow Road.
Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office.
C. 7121, 7122, 7123 and 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK" Shanghai.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

	Francs.
Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20)	69,500,000.00

Head Offices:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Pnom-Penh	Battambang
Haiphong	Hanoi	Tourane
Peking	Hankow	Tientsin
Hongkong	Canton	Mengtze
Singapore	Pondichery	Bangkok
Papeete	Shanghai	Noumea
	Djibouti	Yunnanfu

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

Chung Foo Union Bank
(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$ 180,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinking	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Chengteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
		Cincinnati	

Shanghai Branch:
And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.
S 441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.
Head Offices 9 Ningpo Road

Capital	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$420,000.00

Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted—Personal, National & International.
Branches and Agencies:
In principal cities throughout China
Foreign Correspondents:

London	New York	Yokohama
Paris	Chicago	Tokyo
Marseilles	Seattle	Osaka
Amsterdam	San Francisco	Manila
Berlin	Singapore	

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.
Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	750,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka.
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVING ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

Passengers Arrived

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo from Hankow: Mr. J. A. Jones, Masters Bannan (2), Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Peters, Mrs. A. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Haldon; from Kiukiang: Mrs. T. S. Nazer; from Nanking: Mr. A. Hanson.

Per Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley from Manila and Hongkong: Mr. Warren W. Achuck, Alice Bowen, Mr. W. Brandt, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Carman, Mrs. P. Carneiro, Mr. H. Cheng, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Casse, Miss C. Carneiro, Messrs. Geo. B. Cabot, Quiney S. Cabot, Dr. E. C. Dudley, Miss Katherine Dennis, Mr. D. S. Ellsworth, Mrs. M. Garebaldie, Mr. Hang Chak-qung, Miss A. Harding, Messrs. Ha Seng-che, I. and H. How, L. P. Kent, R. Luther, Rev. Geo. E. Lerigo, Mrs. Gow and Miss Dorothy Li, Mr. Chan-man Mok, Miss Lily Mok, Miss Edna Nelson, Messrs. Lewis T. Preston, J. Takekawa, Tin Shfu-hing, Davino Valteraina, C. E. Welch, C. C. Wu, V. Xavier; through for Seattle: Mr. Chang Sing and son Messrs. Chin Man-fann, Chu Yong, E. B. Callahan, Eng Tsung, Wm. H. Flint, Mrs. Huie, Messrs. N. S. Haugen, L. P. Katz, S. G. Lowrie, Leong Tai, Lee Chik, May Loy-you, Key Bail Mark, Miss Hoy Shin Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paxton, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Winters and infant, Messrs. Lai You, Jong Yuen, Mrs. Wong; for Yokohama: Mrs. F. H. and Miss P. Tyson, Mr. T. Kitano, for Kobe: Mr. Leung Wai-chee, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Watson.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Messrs. C. Ponsey, S. Lamperty, A. Canblar, Capt. A. Watson, Rev. Sheppard, Miss Andre.

Per C.N. s.s. Ngankin from Hankow: Rev. F. J. Dawson, Dr. P. J. Donoghue.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangwan from Hankow: Miss F. Pulters.

Per P.M. s.s. President Pierce from Hongkong: Mr. J. Alkin, Capt. and Mrs. R. L. Christian, Master E. K. Christian, Mr. W. E. Dunnett, Mrs. M. Ezra, Miss E. Sopher, Messrs. Robt. Fang, J. A. Gumbrecht, J. E. Lycett Greensill, Mrs. E. L. Hobart, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Huang, Messrs. Henri Kerbe, E. Kammerer, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Marsman, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mason, Miss C. D. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Ches. T. Paul, Mr. H. Quingley, Mrs. R. Soal, Mrs. E. P. Scaright, Messrs. Y. S. Yau, F. H. Howard, Eng Hok-fong, E. S. Lee, Peter Dai, R. Lenz, Chung Yat, L. V. Lang, E. B. Ansley, Miss M. Johnson, Mr. H. N. Morris, Mrs. A. L. and Miss W. M. Raw, Mr. F. G. Wallis Whiddett, Dr. C. H. Yeager; through for San Francisco: Messrs. Ernst Becker, M. Wells Branch, Mrs. May and Miss Mary Branch and two sons, Mr. J. H. Cooper, Mrs. W. N. Campbell, Mr. Chan Ming-yim, Mrs. S. Heidelbach, Dr. E. Linton, Messrs. Lum Yoke John, Lai Man-chan, Mrs. Louise, Rev. and Mrs. T. V. Moldenke, Miss M. Moldenke, Mrs. W. A. McVeen, Mr. Quan Chong, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Roscelli, Mrs. M. M. and Misses A. and S. Saleebey, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Leo H. Wise, Mrs. Wong Poy-jim, Mr. Wong Chung; for Honolulu: Mrs. Ida F. Preston, Miss S. Sellner; for Yokohama: Miss F. E. Barkes, Messrs. W. J. Anderson, Chung Hung-chang, T. K. Lam; for Kobe: Miss M. Sproul.

Passengers Departing

Per C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia for Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. Kan and child, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lam, Mr. and Mrs. Chang, Miss Chang, Miss L. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ramsay, Mrs. C. S. Upson and infant, Miss D. G. Upson, Dr. M. H. Brauns, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shields, Misses Lelias Nelson, P. Bevin, Messrs. J. Taggart, W. S. Heaton, K. P. Mak, I. H. Zane, J. E. Hargreaves, C. F. Wolsiffer, C. Lan, Lee, J. F. Sarasin, I. Ping Cheong, M. C. Lee, J. Madier, G. Brachmann, G. C. Denham.

Commercial Bank of China
Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum
For 6 months at 4% per annum
For 12 months at 5% per annum
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO
President Lincoln ....Jan.
Korea Maru .....Jan.
President Taft .....Jan.
Nanking .....Jan.
Standard Arrow .....Jan.
Ibukisan Maru .....Jan.
Shinyo Maru .....Jan.
President Cleveland ..Jan.
Siberia Maru .....Jan.
President Pierce .....Feb.

FOR VANCOUVER
Canadian Inventor ...Jan.
Empress of Asia .....Jan.

FOR SEATTLE
President Jefferson ...Jan.
Arabia Maru .....Jan.
President Grant .....Jan.
Yokohama Maru .....Jan.
Manila Maru .....Jan.
President Madison ....Jan.

FOR PORTLAND
West O'Rowa .....Jan.
Hannawa .....Jan.
Pawlet .....Jan.

FOR NEW YORK
Jadden .....Jan.
Erie .....Jan.
Gothic Prince .....Jan.
Laconia .....Jan.
Durban Maru .....Jan.
City of Dunkirk .....Jan.
Arizona Maru .....Jan.
Bowes Castle .....Jan.
Robert Dollar .....Feb.
Dryden .....Feb.

FOR UNITED KINGDOM
Haruna Maru .....Jan.
Glaucus .....Jan.
Plassy .....Jan.
Eumaeus .....Jan.
Gleniffer .....Jan.
Theseus .....Jan.
Kamo Maru .....Jan.
Elpenor .....Jan.
Sardinia .....Jan.
Keemun .....Jan.
Katori Maru .....Jan.
Diomed .....Jan.
City of Glasgow .....Feb.
Cyclops .....Feb.
Delta .....Feb.
Nellore .....Feb.

FOR COPENHAGEN
Panama .....Jan.

FOR ROTTERDAM
Oldekerk .....Jan.

FOR HAMBURG
Atlas Maru .....Jan.
Schlesien .....Jan.
Carnarvonshire .....Jan.
Mito Maru .....Jan.
Glenbeg .....Jan.
Pruessen .....Jan.
Emil Kirdorf .....Jan.

FOR MARSEILLES
Com. Dorise .....Jan.
Amboise .....Jan.
Cordillere .....Feb.

FOR TRIESTE
Fiume L. .....Jan.

FOR INDIA
Kochi Maru .....Jan.
Gregory Apcar .....Jan.
Soudan .....Jan.
Kaga Maru .....Jan.

Silk Report

Messrs. Messageries Maritimes announce the following list of silk shipped from Shanghai to the undermentioned ports per steamer Cordillere on Feb. 2:
Port Said, 15 bales raw silk.
Oran, 6 bales raw silk.
Marseilles, 44 bales raw and 145 bales waste silk.
Lyons, 201 bales and 15 bales wild silk.

Gula-Kalumpong Rubber Estate

Messrs. Ilbert and Company, Ltd. the Local Secretaries of the Gula-Kalumpong Rubber Estate, Ltd. are in receipt of the following telegram from their Penang Agents:
Output of Dry Rubber for January, 1923, 100,000 lbs.
Shipped, 67,046 lbs.
Cocoanuts, 600,000 nuts.
Rainfall, 8½ inches.

Financial And Commercial News The World's Markets

Money Exchange

Shanghai, February 5, 1923

Mexican Dollars

Market	72.025
Native Interest	10
Shanghai Gold Bars	978
Touch	332½
Copper Cash	229.800
Bar Silver	30⅝
Bar London rate	
Paris on London	72.80
New York on London	468

Banks Opening Selling Rates

London	
Telegraphic Transfer	3s. 0d.
Demand	3s. 0⅛d.
New York	
Telegraphic Transfer	70¼
Demand	70½

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3/0
London (Demand)	3/0⅛
London 4 m-s	3/0¼
India (T.T.)	219
France (T.T.)	1085
America (T.T.)	70¼
Hongkong (T.T.)	74
Japan (T.T.)	69¾
Batavia (T.T.)	180
Straits (T.T.)	78¼

BANKS BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits	3/2
London 4 m-s Docts	3/2¼
London 6 m-s Credits	3/2½
London 6 m-s Docts	
France 4 m-s	1135
America 4 m-s L/c	73¾
Docs	74¼

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates

@ 72⅝ = Tls. 138.17
@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $191.10

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate

@ 3s. 0⅝d. = Tls. 6.53
@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $9.03

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR FEBRUARY

Hk. Tls. 5.88	@ 3s. 0⅝d.		£1
„ 1.26	@ 71	Gold	$1
„ 1	@ 1060½	Fr.	11.81
„ 1	@ —	Marks	—
„ 1	@ 70⅛	Yen	1.59
„ 1	@ 222¾	Rupees	2.43
„ 1	@ —	Roubles	—
„ 1	@ 1.50	Mex.	$1.50
„ 1	@ 4.32½	Ital. Lire	15.96

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America	71¼
Demand buying on America	72⅜
Demand selling on London	3s. 0¼d.
Demand buying on London	3s. 0⅜d.

GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS

Morning	
332.50	332.10
332.30	331.90
332.20	331.60
332.30	331.40
332.50	331.60
332.60	331.30
332.90	330.80
332.70	331.10
332.40	closed
332.60	
332.30	
Afternoon	
331.10	331.80
331.30	332.00
331.50	331.20
331.20	332.00
331.40	331.90
331.50	closed

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roubles 285,000 .....Tls. 100
Roubles 100 .....Mex. $0.05

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
BANK'S SELLING RATES

It. Lire 14.00 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.72½ = 1 Tael
Marks 12.000 = 1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 94.80 = 1 Pound Sterling
It Lire 20.20 = 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 131.00 = 100 Fr. Francs

LONDON-PARIS RATE
(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 3.—The Paris-London cross-rate is quoted today at: £1—73.09 Francs.

Shanghai Sharebrokers' Association

Business Done

Shanghai, February 5, 1923

OFFICIAL

Docks Tls. 95.50 March
Consolidated Tls. 2.50
Kiebangs Tls. 0.80
Chengs Tls. 2.20
Far Eastern Ins. Tls. 20.25

UNOFFICIAL

Orientals Tls. 9.25 Feb.
S. M. C. Gold Loan £104
Telephones Tls. 71.00
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.00 March
Tanah Merah Tls. 0.95
Consolidated Tls. 2.55
Chemors Tls. 1.15 Feb.

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

February 5, 1923

Spot bar silver was down ¼d. and forward ⅛d. in London on Saturday. The New York price declined to 63⅜ cents and the London-New York cross rate improved to 468½. The only change in our official quotations here from Saturday was a drop in the Franc rate to 1085.

Our market here this morning was steady to firm. At the opening a small business in Sterling was done at 3-0½ for near delivery, 3-0⅜ February and 3-0¼ for March-April. Gold Dollars were done at the same time at 71½ for near delivery, 71¼ for February and 71 for forward.

However, later on in the morning there were good sellers at these rates and at the Tiffin Interval banks were offering to sell ⅛d. and ¼ point in Gold Dollars above these quotations. Probably even better than this could have been gotten for near delivery.

Banks were as a rule good sellers for deliveries prior to China New Year and buyers for subsequent deliveries.

Banks were quoting 3-1½ and 73¼ for Sterling and Gold Dollar bills for delivery prior to China New Year and 3-1¼ and 73 for subsequent deliveries. There were probably buyers of Franc bills at 1135.

China sold silver in London on Saturday and the market is reported as having closed, steady. New York reports the market as firm with buyers and no sellers at the official rate.

Rubber Outputs

	Dec.	Jan.
Alma	22,000	
Anglo-Dutch	36,00	43,500
Anglo-Java	101,700	137,500
Ayer Tawah	—	—
Batu Anam	24,678	
Bukit Toh Along	38,030	
Bute	20,000	
Chempedak	13,000	14,000
Chemor United	23,116	
Cheng	13,594	
Consolidated	44,302	
Dominion	30,676	
Gula Kalumpong	100,000	100,000
Java Consolidated	48,300	60,500
Kapayang	14,428	
Karan	10,293	
Kota Bahroe	31,823	
Kroewoek	93,000	44,800
Langkat	88,849	78,003
New Amherst	12,041	9,787
Padang	—	—
Permata	7,946	
Repah	21,373	
Samagaga	—	—
Semambu	10,463	
Senawang	25,600	
See Kee	11,212	
Shanghai-Serembán	16,655	
Shanghai Kedah	23,717	
Shanghai Kelantan	9,000	
Shanghai-Malay	19,156	
Shanghai-Pahang	16,980	
Shanghai-Klebang	7,840	
Shanghai-Sumatra	61,212	59,061
Sua Manggis	—	—
Sungala	—	—
Sungei Duri	23,123	
Taiping	7,050	
Tebong	59,000	53,000
Tenah Merah	29,000	
Ziangbe	37,500	44,800

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, February 5, 1923

OFFICIAL

Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 15.25 Mar.
Kaipings "B" Tls. 19.25
Telephones Tls. 70.00
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.75
Karans Tls. 7.75
S'hai Serembans Tls. 0.90
S'hai Tugs (Ord.) Tls. 91.00 Mar.
Tls. 90.00 Cash

UNOFFICIAL

S. & H. Wharf Tls. 206.00 March
Tls. 203.00 Cash
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 15.50 Mar.
Permatas Tls. 2.70

The Small Investors' Co.

Shanghai, February 5, 1923

BUSINESS REPORTED

Tebongs Tls. 1.70
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.75
Tls. 7.00 March
Serembans 95 cents
Permatas Tls. 2.60
Tls. 2.65
Chinese Eng. Tls. 19.00
Ewo Cottons Tls. 15.25 March
S. & H. Wharf Tls. 203.00
Oriental Cottons Tls. 9.00

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Chempedak Rubber Estate

At the annual meeting of shareholders in the Chempadak Rubber Company yesterday the Chairman, Mr. A. J. Welch, gave an interesting talk on the position of the industry, in the course of which he exploded certain fallacies of the enormous dividends that some people imagine the rubber companies would make with rubber standing in the region of 1s. 6d. per pound.

Although the results of the year's trading are not flattering, it looks as if the Company has rounded the corner, and an era of prosperous times is ahead of the concern. The financial position will certainly be improved if the new issue of shares that the Company has put forth is subscribed, for it will enable the deficit to be wiped out.

Then, again, there is the profit that is resulting by sale of crude rubber at the present good prices, and the Chairman has reason to be sanguine and to "look forward to the future with equanimity." The cost of production has been reduced from Straits cents 49.90 to 36.24 per pound. The profit of 32 cents per pound should prove very handsome if the raw product maintains its level.

In the course of his speech the Chairman said:

"The year's working, as you will see from the profit and loss account, has resulted in a loss of Taels 13,462.70, of which Taels 3,735.52 represents interest in advances and Taels 4,779.91 loss on Exchange. This latter item arises from the fact that, although the sum due to the Agents in London is practically the same this year as it was last, the sterling has been converted into Taels at exchange 3-3½ as compared with 4-0 exchange last year. This result, covering as it does the worst 12 months of the recent slump in rubber, is not entirely unsatisfactory.

"Under the heading of cost of production, there is an error in the report for which I must apologise, the cost for last year should have been 49.90 cents instead of 62.23 cents as shown; this last figure represents the cost for 1919-1920 instead of that for 1920-1921. This year the cost at 36.24 cents again shows a large reduction but, in spite of the drastic economies that have been exercised, the estate is reported not to have suffered in any way. Directors' fees have been charged to profit and loss account, but the amount has again been credited to sundry creditors.

"In this connection I may tell you that, since the accounts were compiled, your Directors have decided to forego half their fees until such time as the Company is in a more flourishing financial position and the Secretaries have also agreed to reduce their remuneration temporarily from Taels 250 to Taels 200 per month.

"The fees paid by this Company in the past have been moderate compared with those paid by many others, but on a small property such as this the cost per pound of these overhead expenses is very heavy and your Directors are now considering the desirability of trying to combine with some other contiguous property or properties and thus reducing the cost per pound by spreading these charges over a larger output. I can say no more at the moment, gentlemen, as a proposal of this sort naturally requires the most careful thought and examination before anything definite can be done.

"Turning to the balance sheet there is very little that needs explanation. Capital expenditure having been reduced to the very minimum, only some Taels 215.94 having been spent on the upkeep of the immature area. The financial position of the Company on October 31, 1922 was that the cash liabilities exceeded the liquid assets by Taels 51,314.48 as compared with a deficit of Taels 37,635.84 at the end of last year. Since the end of the financial year this deficit has been reduced by the profit on the crops from November onwards, which is being utilised to liquidate the company's indebtedness to the London Agents. By this I mean that certain free shipments of rubber have been made to London, the proceeds of which will be retained by the Agents, in reduction of their loan and also, as money becomes available in the Straits, funds are being remitted to London. This obviates any loss in exchange that might arise from first converting gold into silver currency.

"As you will have seen from the circular posted to you a few days ago, your Directors are inviting you to take up a pro rata allotment of new shares at the price of Taels 6.50 per share. If these shares are all taken up sufficient money should be available to liquidate all the Company's indebtedness and to provide working capital for the future. With the addition of this new capital the Company will be capitalised at Taels 342 per planted acre, which is quite a reasonable figure and one which, as soon as the debit of profit and loss account is wiped out, should allow of good dividends being paid. When this will be it is difficult to say with any certainty but a profit of 32 Straits cents per pound on the restricted output of 146,000 lbs., calculated at exchange 75 should be sufficient to extinguish it this year.

"As regards planting matters the visiting agent in his last Report states that the estate generally is in a satisfactory condition, Buildings have been kept in a good state of repair and Pests and Diseases have given very little trouble.

"In conclusion, gentlemen, I would like to say a few words on general matters connected with the industry. First, as regards the cost of production, statements have appeared in many papers lately to the effect that rubber planters who produce their rubber at a cost of say 8 pence per pound should be satisfied if they can sell their product at 1s. 4d., thus netting 100 percent profit. This, gentlemen, is a fallacy, one might just as well say that if it costs a coal mine $3 per ton to win its coal and it sells for $6 that the mine is making 100 percent profit or that an electric light works should only charge a reasonable profit over and above the mere cost of generating its current. The costs of production published by rubber companies simply cover the expenditure necessary to harvest and market the rubber and to upkeep the gardens, to arrive at the true cost one should take into consideration such factors as interest on capital invested in the undertaking, including interest during the 5 or 6 unproductive years, depreciation of buildings, machinery, etc., and last, but not least, depreciation of the planted area itself.

"In the case of this company we have expended in one way or another Taels 310,000 on purchasing and developing our property. Leaving the other items out of the calculation, interest alone on this sum at 8 percent per annum for one year would have added 6¾ pence per pound to our cost this year and, speaking generally, interest at 8 percent on a company capitalised at only £50 per acre and producing at the rate of 240 lbs. per acre per annum would amount to 4d. per pound. From this you will see that rubber will have to rise very much more in price before companies can justly be accused of making 100 percent profit on their product.

"Secondly, as there seems to be some uncertainty about the matter, it may be of interest if I gave you a brief outline of the manner in which the restriction scheme is intended to work. The committee that drafted the scheme endeavored to make it as flexible as possible and it is designed to prevent wide fluctuations in price and to keep it more or less steady at between 1s. 3d. and 1s. 6d. per pound, although, of course, special circumstances may arise to upset this intention.

"A standard output is assessed for each estate based on the actual output from November, 1919 to October, 1920 and on November 1 estates started exporting, at the minimum duty of 2 cents per pound, not more than 60 percent of this standard production. When the average price has been maintained at not less than 1s. 3d., London landed terms for three consecutive months the percentage of rubber exportable under the minimum duty will be raised by 5 percent in the ensuing quarter, or if maintained at not less than 1s. 6d. the percentage will be increased by 10 percent in the ensuing quarter. Conversely if during the second quarter after the initiation of the scheme or in any subsequent period of three consecutive months the price of rubber has not averaged at least 1s. per pound, the percentage of standard production that may be exported at the minimum duty will be reduced to 55 percent, and so on by reductions of 5 percent at the end of every 3 months until the average of 1s. 3d. is secured. The first period of 3 months expired on January 31 and as the price had not averaged 1s. 3d. no release of restriction was made, then next period for revision therefore falls due on May 1, 1923.

"Assuming that rubber averages 1-6 from now onwards, the percentages exportable under the minimum duty will be as follows: May-July quarter 70 percent, August-October quarter 80 pecent, November-January quarter 90 percent. So, under the most favorable circumstances, it will not be possible under the scheme for estates to get back on to full production until February, 1924. If on the other hand rubber only averages 1s. 3d. from now onwards, full production will not be permissible until February, 1925. Such being the case, gentlemen, I think we may now look forward to the future with equanimity."

The directors' report and statement of accounts as presented was passed.

The appointment of Mr. W. B. O. Middleton as a director of the company was confirmed.

Mr. R. N. Truman was re-elected a director of the company, and Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews re-elected auditor to the company in Shanghai and Malacca for the ensuing year.

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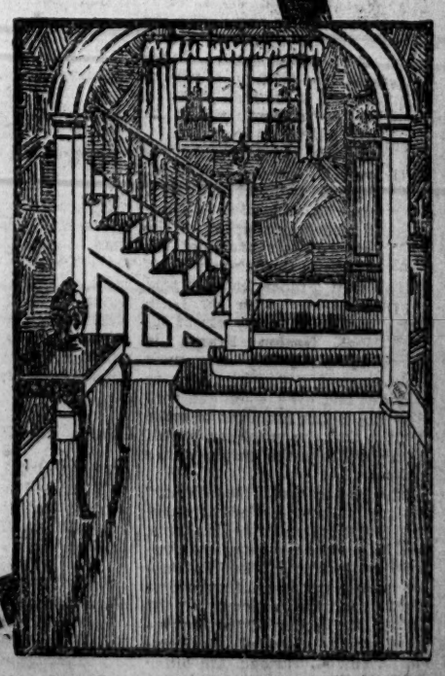

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WEATHER

Overcast weather with intermittent rain or snow in our valley. Northerly or North-Easterly winds North of the Saddles, Moderate monsoon in the South.

DEATHS

SCHROTH: On February 3rd, 1923, at Shanghai, William J. Schroth husband of Alice Siegfried Schroth. The funeral was held at Bubbling Well Cemetery, on February 4, 1923 (Japanese papers please copy). 56036 F

RIDGE. At Peking on Saturday the 3rd February, 1923 MARY LOUISA, the beloved wife of William Sheldon Ridge, of Peking, formerly of Shanghai, aged 47 years.

France For Naval Disarmament

IF pressing debates upon the Ruhr crisis can be got out of the way the French Chamber of Deputies will be called upon shortly to ratify the naval treaty which was formulated at the Washington armament conference. M. Poincare, speaking to the Foreign Affairs Commission of the Chamber, has pledged his Government to support ratification of the agreement.

Much of the criticism of the naval agreement was due to irritation engendered by controversies over land armaments and submarines, and it was confined almost entirely to specialists and politicians. The people of France, despite her large sea coast, the growth of her colonial possessions and the fine traditions of her sea history, take but little active interest in their navy. The presence of Germany at the eastern gate has always made of the fleet a neglected second line of defense. Politics in the past entered the navy at both ends. Arsenals and dockyards were, and still are, permeated by extremist labor agitation, while officers, drawn from ancient Breton and Norman stock, cling to old traditions of French sea glory, without being too much concerned as to the political regime under which that glory was obtained.

Washington, as M. Poincare frankly admits, calls for no sacrifice from France. She could not, if she would, build capital ships for some years to come, and the absence of a large building program will give her a good chance to improve the training of officers and men and to grapple with the problem of disorganisation in naval establishments on shore.

Criticism of the agreement has come from M. Mandel, one of M. Clemenceau's political offspring, and from M. Guernier, an important moderate member of the Chamber, who is reporter of the Foreign Affairs Commission. It is based upon France being placed on a naval level with her Latin sister Italy. In moments of international tension France is sometimes likely to look upon Italy more as a stepsister than as a sister, and even when the political sky is fair she likes to make it clear that she considers herself to be at least the eldest of the family.

The feeling that France should be the biggest Mediterranean naval Power undoubtedly exists, but it is not so strong as to imperil ratification of the Washington agreement when that agreement has the support of M. Briand, the leader of the Government which preceded M. Poincare's, and M. Tardieu, the bitter critic of the present Cabinet. Debates may be hot, but the result cannot be doubted.

Like the various nations of the world we should worry about debts. We've got plenty of 'em.

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This pagoda of piffle, you see, is written in spurts and jerks—and that happened to be the idea that was predominating our complex. Unseen action preceding this paragraph included our ordering a bottle of silent water for the sweet young thing at the adjoining type writer who was telling the office all about the tea dance. Mebbe she'll keep still now and we'll start counting up all over again.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"The fact is that after talking too much and after realising that any talk with a faithless opponent is useless, France is now going to act, alone if necessary, for the good of every body."—Charles Grosbois.

"The old order changeth yielding place to new. We are living in special times."—David Arakie.

"American women are the angels, American men the demons."—Mme. Maeterlinck.

"After about ten years of marriage, the average woman's heart reacts like a punching bag to a man's criticism."—Helen Rowland.

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Love thy neighbor as thyself, say the scriptures—but just try to do it when the gentle snores he emits percolate thru the whole doggone hotel.

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The Municipal Gazette is not the only duly accredited jokebook issued. Just look at the official government reports that say the cost of living is coming down.

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PA JONGG SEZ:

"If two can live as cheap as one all we can say is that our compradore never heard it."

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But then Pa forgets, of course, that a woman can always solve her financial problems by buying whatever she wants and then finding an economical reason for it after afterwards.

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A CHILD'S PRAYER

Holy Mother! Holy Mother!
In the dark I fear,
Light me with thy shining eyes,
Be thou ever near.

Holy Mother! Holy Mother!
Call thy little Son,
Bid Him bring me praying dreams
Ere the night be done.

Call the angels, call them early,
Bid them fly to thee,
One to call the little birds
One to waken me.
—S. Weir Mitchell.

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Begging your indulgence once more for mentioning our inconsequential financial affairs, but last month's chits are still coming in and despite all our pondering and cogitation on the subject we are still unable to figure out why they put a dollar sign on a newspaperman's typewriter.

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Tragic Moments In History

Anthony and Cleopatra were just about to take their famous excursion up the Nile when the darn engine sputtered—and Tony couldn't get out to crank her up.

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No doubt Adam had his little worries after the rib came into his life but we feel quite certain Eve never wept all over his shoulder because Mrs. So-and-So had a new fur coat and she didn't see why she couldn't have one.

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DEMI, PROBABLY.

Dear Larry: Here in Antuug we have D. Tase in the Japanese Post Office and some of the boys would like to know what the "D." stands for. Have you any comments on the subject?

S. O. Cony.

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Cleopatra II and me were having tea at Mr. Federal's t'other afternoon and were quite exercised because they'd run out of the cream coffee cake which so appeals to our palate. "Well, some layer cake then," says Cleo, 2nd. It came in only one layer and Cleo, two, is still figuring out that they called it layer cake because it had eggs in it.

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Larry

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WUHU

Foreign business men of Wuhu have gradually increased in numbers until there are at present about twice as many representatives in the different firms, with the exception of the shipping companies as there were ten years ago.

Wuhu occupies a strategic position as a distributing center. It is half way between Shanghai and Hankow on the Yangtse River and is the largest city between Nanking and Hankow. It compares well with Chinkiang as a point for distribution of imported articles. The city ranks seventh in size, in China, in the Custom's report for the value of imports and exports. When the water of the Yangtse is low in winter time, the larger ships can only navigate to Wuhu and there tranship their cargo for Kiukiang and Hankow and other ports.

The Standard Oil Co. and the Asiatic Petroleum Co. have done a large business during the year, with the Texaco Oil Co. breaking into the field with a very good business for the first year. Mr. Fabianks, their representative, lived here for several months and established Chinese agencies in the vicinity. A Japanese Oil Co. sent a shipment of case oil to Wuhu several years ago, but the competition did not amount to anything, and their importations were not continued. Mr. F. W. Lilley, manager of the Standard Oil Co. and Mr. P. J. Wilson, manager of the Asiatic Petroleum Co., have this year returned to America and England for furlough. The firms are now in charge of Mr. George Campbell and Mr. Rasmussen, respectively.

Fearon Daniel and Co. have established a branch office in Wuhu with a foreign representative, Mr. Henry F. Kay, in charge. They have leased for three months the offices and godowns built for the bankrupt firm of Humpfreys' and Co., from the American-Oriental Bank of Shanghai, with the expectation of establishing the feather business for this section of Central China. The large feather press has been put in order by Mr. Kay, and a large force of women are daily sorting over feathers for shipment. The feather market has not been extremely active on account of the maximum prices offered in New York having reached their upper limit. They have also had considerable opposition from other buyers in Luchowfu and other centers which feed into Wuhu.

The shipping companies are handling a large volume of business. The China Merchants' Steamship Co. and the Hung On and Deh Hsing Company are preparing to fill the land which they have bought and occupy their new quarters on the main bund. Buttegfield and Swire have their hulk opposite their godowns; and Jardine, Matheson and Co. have a fine new hulk in their new situation. Capt. and Mrs. Wortley who have just returned from furlough are living in the old hulk which was the home for so many years of Captain Johns and his family.

The large Japanese Ore Co., the Mitsui Bitsi Kaisha are transhipping large quantities of iron ore from their barges to the large ocean going steamers constantly arriving at and going from their Wuhu headquarters. The Japanese are also interested in the building of a new launch to run from Nanking to Wuhu and Ta Tung. This will be the best launch in the local service.

The Chinese Cotton Mill has this year built a large addition to their plant and are running day and night as usual.

The large Chinese brick yard built by Lord Li and equipped with English ovens and machinery for the railroad, proposed a number of years ago, has been repaired and re-opened and is again turning out good red brick.

The Military Governor, Ma Da Ren, who lived in Wuhu, has been appointed to be Tuchun of Anhwei with headquarters in Anking. He has gone off to the conference of military chieftains in Peng Pu. He is an intelligent man and a man of considerable power among the military caste who rule China. His soldiers and subordinates have done nothing to control the opium business of the Yangtse River. It is generally understood and believed that the soldiers gain a large part of their revenue from the buying and selling of opium or the farming out of the privilege to do so. Ma Da Ren has kept peace in Wuhu and the immediate vicinity, so that there has been no rioting at all in the city proper and very little brigandage in the country.

The Japanese Consul has been appointed to Wuhu where he has established a residence. There are very few Japanese business men in Wuhu but the government evidently thinks there is an opportunity to develop trade and prestige, especially since the British Consulate has been discontinued.

The former home of the British Consul is now occupied by Mr. L. D. Drakeford of the Salt Gabelle. The main offices of the district may later be moved from Ta Tung where they are now located to Wuhu. It is difficult for the foreign salt commissioner to carry out any reforms as the appointment of officials of the Sale Gabelle is in the hands of the Chinese Superintendent. The salt officials not only do not prevent the smuggling and illegitimate sale of salt but actually encourage and control the smuggling of salt themselves. They keep no books and report practically no fines in large areas of the province. Mr. Drakeford has made a stubborn and persistent fight against these evils.

Both the Wuhu Academy and the St. James High School have this year their largest enrollment of students on record.

The Sisters of the Transfiguration are developing a small but fine boarding school. They are also developing an Industrial School which has now an attendance of about fifty sewing women.

The Methodist Mission opened a boarding school at Green Hill a year ago. It is crowded to its capacity. All of the primary mission schools are flourishing, and the government schools both for women and men have full attendance.

A unique feature in educational affairs is the establishment of a Checkerboard School in Wuhu by the employes of the Ralston Purina Milling Co. of St. Louis, Mo. The Ralston Purina Co. has mills in America, in Buffalo, Fort Worth, Nashville, E. St. Louis and St. Louis with a large force of employes and salesmen turning out the famous Purina Chows and Ralston Cereal. They are raising funds for a model primary school, with public baths, reading rooms and industrial features of a community center. The salesmen are enthusiastic about their Checkerboard School in China and donate all the fines levied at their conventions for this charity. Many individual employes have adopted a Chinese student in the school.

The local organisation which formerly conducted work similar to the Y.M.C.A. has just organised an official chapter of the Y.M.C.A. Mr. C. H. Plopper of the Christian Mission has resigned to become its first secretary. Dr. F. T. Djung, for twenty odd years with the Wuhu General Hospital was elected president of the Board of Directors. They have secured quarters in the business section, have their usual efficient night schools and are offering good movie films and other atractions to the young Chinese business men of the city.

The Famine Relief Committee of some years ago left $20,000.00 in charge of the Wuhu Dyke Repair Committee. The interest of this money has been used to build the new road on a dyke from Wuhu to the Asiatic Petroleum Co.'s Installation. Other main roads of Wuhu have been widened, straightened, and improved by the local road improvement society under the direction of Mr. Joe Wharton.

The ricksha men are taking advantage of the Ricksha Mission of Wuhu modelled somewhat upon the Shanghai Mission. Mrs. Keating is giving her whole time to the interest of these poor but hard working men.

We have been unusually free from infectious diseases for the past year, but small pox is now epidemic. There has been no Scarlet Fever, Diptheria, Measles, Small-pox or Typhoid among the foreign population during the past year.

Dr. Robert E. Brown of the Wuhu General Staff is planning an anti-Smallpox campaign for vaccination. The Wuhu Dyke Repair Committee has granted $500 for this purpose. The plan is to give free vaccinations in various sections of the city as was recently done in the Shanghai Epidemic.

The Ideal Life Partner

BY DOROTHY DIX

A man asked me to give him my idea of the ideal husband and the ideal wife.

Of course, "there ain't no such animal," as the countryman observed when he first set eyes on a rhinoceros. Moreover, if there were such a creature as a perfect husband or a perfect wife, he or she would be unendurable to his or her poor, weak, faultering spouse, and the divorce docket would be swelled by one more couple seeking to have their matrimonial bonds severed because of incompatibility of temper. For people are so hard to stand as the overly good. Better a million times choose a cheerful sinner for a life partner than that unendurable affliction—a person who is always right.

Still, in our disgruntled hours, it is pleasant to dally with the dream of the ideal husband or wife, and to imagine what life might have been if only we had gotten the mates to which we were entitled.

I think that the ideal husband and wife are cut off of the same bolt of cloth, and that they are much alike. There is no sex in the conubial virtues, and the selfsame qualities that make a man a desirable husband make a woman a desirable wife, and, paradoxically enough, the qualities that make a man and woman shining examples in the outside world do not make them shining examples in the shut-in world of home.

Some of the most successful men are utter failures as husbands and fathers. Some of our best citizens are the meanest husbands and fathers. There are angel women who are devils at home, and philanthropic ladies who spend their days making flannel petticoats for the heathen while their own children's stockings need darning.

All of us know men who are honest, and truthful, and moral, and sober, but who are so tyrannical and cross that their wives and children live in terror of them. All of us know women who are pillars of the church, and who spend hours on their knees praying for guidance, and who then get up and nag their families to death, and who are so narrow and bigoted, and have so little human sympathy that they alienate their husband and children from them.

What, then, are the qualities that the ideal husband and wife have?

First, efficiency. We must be comfortable physically before we can indulge in any other finer emotions. The pangs of hunger take precedence over the pangs of love. A serene and calm outlook on life is incompatible to one suffering from acute dyspepsia. Therefore, the ideal husband must be a man who is capable of making a comfortable living for his family, and the ideal wife must be a woman who knows how to run a home thriftily, and economically and without friction.

The happy home has no bill collector camping on the door step, nor does it set forth a dinner of overdone meat and underdone vegetables, or eat out of paper bags, and have to hold its clothes together with safety pins.

The next qualification of the ideal husband and wife is tolerance. Anyone who is old enough to get married should have had experience enough of life to know that he or she is not tying up with plaster saints, but with a very human person who has a thousand faults and weaknesses, and peculiarities and ways, and unless a man and woman are big enough and broad enough to take the other, including all faults, they should stay single.

The woman who accepts her husband's friends and makes them her own, who take an interest in his golf or his pool, who humors his illusion that he knows how to make a salad dressing, and who laughs at his weaknesses instead of crying over them has the most of the ear marks of the perfect wife. Nor does any woman ever dream of going back home to mother who has the luck to get a husband who indulges her little peculiarities, and recognises her right to her hobbies.

The third qualification of the ideal husband and wife is cheerfulness. The man who comes home surly and grouchy, and who dumps all of his nerves and bad temper on the family hearthstone is a failure as a husband, no matter if he is as moral as Sir Galahad, and bedecks his wife in diamonds. The woman who is always whining and complaining is a failure as a wife, no matter if she can cook like a French chef, and save money like Hetty Green.

The people who are easy to live with, and who make matrimony worth while, are the men and women who bear their own worries in secret, and who consciously try to bring sunshine into each other's lives. After all, cheerfulness is just the brave attitude toward life, and nowhere else is it needed so much as in the family circle.

Finally, I would put appreciation as the most indispensible quality in the reportoire of virtues of the ideal husband and wife. Appreciation is the magic flower that has only to be laid upon the burden on the shoulders of a husband and wife to take the weight off the load, and make it light as a feather. Matrimony is hard going for every man and woman who undertakes it. It is bound to mean endless sacrifices, perpetual suppression of one's own inclinations and desires. It means work, and worry, and anxiety, and this is worthwhile or not, according to the appreciation they receive.

No man minds working for a woman who lets him see at every turn that she understands and appreciates all he is doing for her. No woman minds the sacrifices she makes for her husband if he tells her how grateful he is to her. Therefore the ideal married couple have "Thank you" always on their lips.

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From China To Tibet

General Pereira's 7,000 Mile Journey

Calcutta, (by mail).—Brigadier-General George Pereira, C.B., who set out to journey from Peking to Calcutta by way of Lhassa, arrived in Calcutta last December, completing a journey of over 7,000 miles. General Pereira traversed half this on foot and the strain has been so severe that he is now in a nursing home in Calcutta. There are clots of blood at the back of his left calf and he thinks he will have to remains in bed for two or three weeks. This has altered his plans somewhat, for he had intended to proceed to Delhi soon after his arrival and then go to Burma.

A press representative, visiting General Pereira one day, found him in bed busy with maps. The General said his foot was frequently painful during the journey but it was never so bad as to prevent him from carrying out his intentions. On arrival at Gangtok, however, he had to take to his bed and the journey from Gangtok to Calcutta was made by motor car and train.

General Pereira left Peking in January, 1921. He knows Peking very well having been Military Attache at the Legation there for several years preceding the Great War. He had also been attached to a Chinese regiment prior to 1900 and in China in 1900, being slightly wounded in the campaign. From Peking to Lhassa it is 2,000 miles as the crow flies, but the General could not journey in so direct a manner. He went by train to Tientsin and on to Taiyuan and then travelled by cart to Shansi. After crossing the Hwang-ho he travelled partly by train to Loyang, where he met General Wu Pei-fu who at the time of the meeting (last year) was the leader of the movement against Chang Tso-lin. General Pereira visited Sian-fu, the old Capital of China, and climbed the Hua-shan, which is one of the five sacred mountains of China. The climb was appalling. The mountain consists of great rocks all twisted and steep. Zig-zag paths wind upwards cut into the rocks in the form of irregular steps, some of which are a foot or two away from each other and on the sides of these paths are precipitious drops of 2,000 and more feet. The climb had to be made by using chains for hauling oneself up on the rock. Numerous small temples are scattered about. "It was one of the steepest climbs I've had," said General Pereira, "but it afforded a most magnificent view."

General Pereira next entered the notorious Province of Shensi, which, with its neighbor Szechuen, are the two most brigand-infested provinces of China. In one of these provinces there are reported to be 50,000 brigands. Just before General Pereira went through some brigands captured a missionary. These provinces are in an utter state of chaos; they do not recognise the authority of Peking. It is practically impossible to get through them unless you make some arrangement with the brigands. General Pereira visited the magistrate who discussed the matter with the brigands, and General Pereira was able to proceed unmolested. Chengtu was about the worst spot. Just beyond Chengtu lies a range of mountains which General Pereira visited for shooting. He found delightful sport, but it was bitterly cold and he had his foot frost-bitten, forcing him to lie up for a month. A journey was next made into Tachientu, a region of China which is full of Tibetan tribes. General Pereira from here worked his way northwards through more country inhabited by the Tibetan tribes and so up the Min river into Kansu. Here he met the Prince of Chorie, who has a vast tract of territory under his jurisdiction and is the biggest Tibetan Prince in the Province. The Prince is an old friend of General Pereira's and the General spent a very pleasant time shooting. From here the General went on to Sining-fu, which is inhabited by a great many Mahomedans under Ma-chi (Ma is the prefix of all Mahomedan families in Kansu). The Mahomedans do not hit it off with their neighbors and there are endless brawls. General Pereira proceeded to Tangar, which is the starting point of all caravans across Tibet. At Tangar, General Pereira engaged interpreters for the great journey, and bought eighteen mules and five horses and a quantity of supplies. He had to make his own saddles. General Pereira met Flemish missionaries at Tangar, who were very helpful.

The great journey across north-eastern Tibet started last May. The first nine days were not unpleasant going. General Pereira met a number of nomads. The track, suited only to pack animals, lay across grass-land, but on the tenth day out they left the grassland and the nomads behind them and for the next seven or eight days saw not a tree nor a blade of grass, nor passed another human being. The mules suffered badly, five of the eighteen dying. Later they luckily met another caravan from whom General Pereira bought some yaks which are much hardier animals and can stand the cold much better. The remaining mules were by this time not only unable to carry any loads but even without loads they were slower than the burdened yak and a halt had to be called every four or five days in order to rest the mules. North-eastern Tibet is a region of tremendous winds. The weather is most changeable, sun, rain, hail and snow succeeding each other in the course of an hour. Usually there was heavy rain at nights which were bitterly cold. It was quite pleasant in the middle of the day if there was no storm. The land lies in the form of a great plain with a few hills here and there. There are no trees at all. The height was well above 12,000 feet. In fact, during the whole of his journey across Tibet, General Pereira was at a height of over 12,000 ft., except for two decents to 10,000 ft., when he entered valleys. Towards the east during this great journey General Pereira saw a most wonderful mountain the Amne-Machin, commonly marked in the maps as a range, but it is only a solitary mountain. It lay in a bend of the Yellow River, completely covered with snow, and of a great height; it may possibly be the highest mountain in the world for the height has never been scientifically measured.

After this appalling journey across northeastern Tibet General Pereira says it was a relief to get into Jeykundo where he found a few shops. Here he met Madame Neel, a French Buddhist lady, who was the only European that General Pereira met during his entire journey across Tibet down to Gyantze, which is a British trade center. After crossing the Yangtsekiang the country was different. The valleys were clothed with trees and barley was in cultivation. General Pereira halted for forty days at Chamdo awaiting permission to enter Lhassa, for the journey for the messenger was one of 700 miles each way. This was a year of record floods in Tibet and some of the very few bridges across the rivers suffered. General Pereira found the bridge across the Salween in a damaged state and had to proceed westwards by another route. To the south-east is a jumble of mountains and valleys. The entire going was up and down, for there was not a flat spot.

At Lhassa General Pereira was made most welcome. He arrived there last October and stayed for about ten days as the guest of Thsarong Shape, the Commander-in-Chief of the Tibetan Army. The Commander-in-Chief is a young man, about 38 years of age. He is learning English, and has a daughter in school in Darjeeling. He was most friendly in his welcome and made the General his guest, providing him with a villa in the best residential suburb of Lhassa. In this suburb, which is the western suburb, there are in all six or seven villas, each situated in most pleasant grounds. One of these villas is occupied by the Dalai Lama, who does not now live in the Potala. The only modern road in Tibet runs from the Potala to this suburb.

General Pereira said he was made most welcome everywhere he went in Tibet. In every village in which he rested deputations of villagers, led by the headman, waited on him with gifts, bringing him vegetables and meat in great quantities.

From Lhassa the journey to Calcutta lay along a fairly familiar route. At Gyantse and at Yatung there are British trade agents. At Gangtok, the capital of Sikkim, there is a British Resident. From the Residency General Pereira came by way of Kalimpong on to Calcutta.

Copernicus And His Predecessors

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

Eminent Astronomer and Authority on Subjects of Scientific Interest

"Who was the first astronomer to recognise the sun in the center of our solar system and to give proof of its position?—H. J. Smith, Chicago."

Pythagoras, the Greek philosopher and mathematician of the sixth century B.C., seems to have had at least the germ of the idea. He and his disciples taught that the earth was a globe and that it revolved, together with the other planets then known—Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn—around a central "fire." However, they just missed the truth, for they thought that the central fire was not the sun, but an invisible blazing body, relatively close to the earth, around which all the others, including the sun, revolved.

The central fire was invisible from the earth because of the existence of a huge black body called the "antichthon," or the "Altar of Nature," which, in some manner not clearly explained, shut off the view of the "fire."

Aristarchus of Samos, in the third century B.C., was the first, as far as known, to affirm distinctly that the earth revolved around the sun, but if he offered any proofs of his theory they have not come down to us. He also said that the earth rotated on its axis while revolving around the sun. Thus he anticipated the two main features of the Copernican system. Other early Greek philosophers seem to have more or less clearly guessed the truth about the rotation and revolution of the earth.

Archimedes of Syracuse, one of the greatest scientists of ancient times, has left accounts of Aristarchus's ideas, but it does not appear that he himself advocated the heliocentric theory.

From Aristarchus to Copernicus was a gap of about nineteen centuries, covering the times of some of the greatest men and the greatest empires and civilisations that the earth has known, and during all that period the learned world remained ignorant of the true form of the solar system, Aristarchus's ideas being discredited.

Since we do not know just what arguments Aristarchus employed we are unable to say that he proved his case, so that to Copernicus, the Polish monk, must be ascribed the honor of being the first man positively known to have recognised and offered proof of the sun's position at the gravitational focus of the solar system.

In his book on "The Revolutions of the Celestial Orbs," Copernicus proves by the same kind of reasoning that we should use today that the dry land and the seas taken together form a surface of a globular body, the earth; that the motions of the sun and other heavenly bodies are most easily explained by regarding them as apparent, or relative, motions, produced in part by the earth's rotation on its axis, in part by the earth's revolution around the sun, and in part by the revolution of the other planets around the sun.

However, because of the lack of exact observations in his time, Copernicus was unable to complete the proof of the correctness of his theory, and he had to introduce some entirely false assumptions, based on the erroneous conceptions that had prevailed among the older astronomers. But he held the main idea, that of the central position of the sun, and the yearly revolution of the earth around it, so firmly and employed such convincing arguments, as far as they went, that succeeding astronomers have universally granted his claim to be the real founder of the heliocentric theory. The work of Tycho Brahe, Kepler, Galileo and Newton, corrected and perfected his system without depriving him of his well-won honor.

Everyone interested in astronomy, and particularly in the romantic history of the five great men who established it in its modern form, should read a remarkable poem recently published, "The Watchers of the Sky," by Alfred Noyes, in which the story is told in a memorable manner, casting the glamor of poesy over the achievements and the thoughts of the greatest heroes of astronomy:

"The neighbors gossiped idly at the door,
Copernicus lay dying overhead,
His little throng of friends, with startled eyes,
Whispered together in that dark house of dreams,
From which, by one dim crevice in the wall,
He used to watch the stars. . .
A shadow moved towards him from the door.
Copernicus with a cry upraised his head.
"The book, I cannot see it, let me feel
The lettering on the cover.
It is here!
Put out the lamp now, draw those curtains back,
And let me die with starlight on my face."

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For River Ports

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGWAH, Capt. McArthur will leave on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO, 3,664 Tons, Captain Christie, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, February 8, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, February 9, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. PINGWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Pellew, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Saturday, February 10, at about midnight. For Freight apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Tel., Central 241. Extension to Freight Department.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 Tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, February 12, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, February 13, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Wednesday, Feb. 14, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The Steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG.—The Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., s.s. EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA will leave Woosung on Tuesday, February 6. The tender Victoria will leave the Customs Jetty for Woosung with Passengers at 8 a.m. on Tuesday. For Passage, apply to A. H. TESSIER, Palace Hotel Building, 19A Bund, Phone C. 182. For Freight, apply to N. LEES SMITH corner of Peking and Yuen Ming Yuen Roads, Phone C. 181.

AMOY AND HONGKONG.—The Steamer HSINKONG, Captain Smith, will leave on Tuesday morning, February 6. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

SWATOW.—The Str. YUSHUN Captain Evensen, will leave on Tuesday morning, February 6. For Freight or Uassage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG DIRECT.—The O. S. K.'s Cargo and Passenger Steamer AFRICA MARU, 20,000 tons, Captain K. Tashiro, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Yangtszepoo Wharf on February 7, at ——— For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA. No. 2 Canton Road, Phone C. 4234.

FOOCHOW.—The Str. HAEAN Captain Wallace, will leave on Wednesday morning, February 7. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO.—The Str. TUNG WAH, Capt. Baines, will leave on Tuesday morning, February 6. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

CHINWANGTAO Direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the s.s. KAIPING, on February 8, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 32, (late 1) Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 317.

For Foreign Ports

LONDON, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM & ANTWERP.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo Str. ARGUN MARU 20,000 tons, Capt. W. Miura, will be despatched from the O. S. K. Buoy on February 10, at ——— For Freight apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road, Phone C. 4234.

Shipping Items

YANGTSZE PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun left Hankow on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Changsha left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Pingwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Kweilee left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Shantung left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Taisang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow today.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Fooshing is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Kwangtah left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

NORTHERN PORTS

The D.K.K. s.s. Chohei Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao on Sunday and is docked at the Whangpoo Wharf The steamer will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 9 o'clock this morning.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei today.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow will leave Tsingtao today and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Saikio Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao tomorrow and will dock at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer is to sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 6 o'clock Friday morning.

The K.M.A. s.s. Nordstrand (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Itsukushima Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The K.M.A. s.s. Taito Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nikko Maru left Moji for Shanghai yesterday and is to dock at the N. Y. K. Wharf tomorrow.

INDIAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Banca was expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Sunday, January 28.

The P. and O. s.s. Jeypore is expected to leave Bombay for Straits, Hongkong and Shanghai next Thursday.

The B.I. s.s. Garbeta left Calcutta on Thursday, February 1 and is due to arrive in Shanghai about March 2.

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia is due to arrive at Hongkong from Bombay and Straits on the morning of February 15.

The B.I. s.s. Torilla, from Calcutta on January 11, left Hongkong on Sunday morning and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Amoy tomorrow afternoon.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Dongola left London at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, January 19, and is due to arrive in Shanghai about March 1.

The P. & O. s.s. Nankin left London on Thursday afternoon, February 1, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about March 15.

The Ben Line s.s. Bengloe, from London on December 12, left Singapore on Friday, January 26, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about February 9.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashmir from London on January 5 with mail, was expected to leave Singapore yesterday and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Hongkong on February 15.

The Shire Line s.s. Pembrokeshire is due to arrive in Shanghai from London on March 3.

The P. & O. s.s. Lahore is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai on Thursday.

The M.M. s.s. Azay le Rideau, from Marseilles on January 12 with mail, will arrive at Saigon next Friday, February 9 and is expected in Shanghai on Feb. 20.

The Nor. Lloyd s.s. Weser left Shanghai for Japan on Friday and is expected to return to the port on February 20.

The Nor. Lloyd s.s. Pfalz left Port Said on January 31 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on February 28.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor will leave Shanghai for Marseilles and ports on Saturday, February 10, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the French Mail jetty at 1:30 o'clock that afternoon. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the Company's office before Friday noon, Feb. 9.

The P. & O. s.s. Khiva will leave Yokohama on Friday and is due in Shanghai on February 14. The liner will sail for London and ports on February 17.

The M.M. s.s. Angers, from Marseilles on December 29 with mail, left Hongkong last Saturday and is due in Shanghai today. The steamer will dock at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf about noon.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dollar s.s. Diana Dollar is due to leave New York for the Orient on February 10.

The Dollar s.s. Grace Dollar is due to leave Vancouver for the Orient on February 23.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln which left San Francisco on January 25, was due to leave Honolulu on Wednesday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on February 14.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant is due to leave Seattle tomorrow and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on February 24.

The China Mail s.s. Nanking is due to leave San Francisco tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Honolulu and Japan ports on March 4.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson which sailed from Seattle on January 26, is due to arrive at Yokohama tomorrow and is expected in Shanghai on February 12.

The O.S.K. s.s. Hague Maru arrived in Shanghai from New York yesterday and will sail for Hongkong and Singapore today.

The O.S.K. s.s. Africa Maru arrived in Shanghai from Puget Sound yesterday and is docked at the Yangtszepoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Hongkong tomorrow.

The Dollar s.s. Esther Dollar left San Francisco for Yokohama on January 29.

The Dollar s.s. Robert Dollar arrived at Hongokng from Shanghai on Saturday.

The Dollar s.s. Harold Dollar left Manila for San Pedro on Sunday, February 4.

The Dollar s.s. Stuart Dollar arrived at Singapore from Hongkong on Saturday.

The Dollar s.s. M. S. Dollar arrived in Boston from the Orient on January 31.

The Dollar s.s. Virginia Dollar is due to leave New York for the Orient at the middle of April.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce left Woosung early yesterday morning and is due to arrive in San Francisco via Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu on Feb. 22.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia arrived at Woosung from Vancouver and Japan ports early this morning and will sail for Hongkong direct at 10 o'clock. The tender with outgoing passengers and baggage will leave the Customs jetty at 8 o'clock this morning, and incoming passengers from the vessel are expected to land about 9:30 o'clock.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley arrived in Shanghai from Hongkong yesterday and is docked at the China Merchants' Central Wharf. The vessel will sail for Seattle at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon and is due there via Kobe and Yokohama on February 22.

Steamers Departed

Feb. 3—Morea for Japan
Feb. 3—Dewey for H., Manila
Feb. 3—Kiriko M. for Pukow
Feb. 4—Wuchang for Hankow
Feb. 4—Suiwo for Hankow
Feb. 4—Yohyang M. for H'kow
Feb. 4—Feleus for Japan
Feb. 4—Meinan for N. Customs
Feb. 4—Fukuken M. for F'mosa
Feb. 4—Hunan for Dairen
Feb. 4—Luchow for A. H. C'ton
Feb. 5—Kiangfoo for Hankow
Feb. 5—P. Pierce for S. F'cisco
Feb. 5—Awaji M. for Japan
Feb. 5—Liuhsing for Cruise
Feb. 5—Hakone M. for Japan
Feb. 5—Kwanto M. for Wuhu
Feb. 5—Huaming for Dairen
Feb. 5—H. Peking for Ningpo
Feb. 5—H. N'shao for Ningpo

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia for Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 8 a.m.

Saturday, February 10, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the M.M. s.s. Angkor, for Marseilles will leave the French Mail Jetty at 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 15, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the M.M. s.s. Angers, for Marseilles will leave the French Mail Jetty at 10 a.m.

Weather Report

Feb. 4.—The high pressure are shifting eastward over Nippon. Moderate winter monsoon all along the China coast Fine and milder weather in our Valley. Sunny day in the North. Misty at Haiphong Rainy in Formosa. A very violent seismic shock has been registered. The epicentre should be located at 3000 Ki from Zikawei. Beginning at 0h. 8m. 45s. China coast standard time.

Feb. 5.—Overcast and variable weather. The pressure stands high and rather steady. N.N.Ely wind.

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E/Russia	Feb. 24	Mar. 12	E/Asia	July 14	July 30
E/Asia	Mar. 24	Apr. 9	E/Canada	July 30	Aug. 13
E/Canada	Apr. 9	Apr. 23	E/Russia	Aug. 11	Aug. 27
E/Russia	Apr. 21	May 7	E/Australia	Aug. 27	Sept. 12
E/Australia	May 7	May 23	E/Asia	Sept. 8	Sept. 24
E/Asia	May 19	June 4	E/Canada	Sept. 24	Oct. 8
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E/Russia	June 16	July 2	E/Australia	Oct. 22	Nov. 7

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FOR MANILA via HONGKONG

S.S. PRESIDENT WILSON ..... Feb. 2
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Atsuta Maru .....Feb. 10 *Lyon Maru Mid. of Mar.
*Tsushima Maru End of Feb. Kashima Maru .....Feb. 24
*For Cargo

FOR VICTORIA, SEATTLE and VANCOUVER
Kaga Maru .....Feb. 11

FOR NEW YORK VIA PANAMA
*Tsuyama Maru .....Feb. 9 *Toba Maru .....Mar. 5

FOR JAPAN
Kumano Maru .....Feb. 3 Nikko Maru .....Feb. 10
Awaji Maru .....Feb. 5 Yamashiro Maru .....Feb. 11
Hakone Maru .....Feb. 5 Nagasaki Maru .....Feb. 16
Yawata Maru .....Feb. 7 Kosai Maru .....Feb. 14

FOR MANILA AND HONGKONG
Iyo Maru .....Feb. 12

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S.S. "HAGUE MARU" ..... March 4

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S.S. "AFRICA MARU" (Direct to Kobe) .....Feb. 20
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FOR HONGKONG DIRECT
S.S. "AFRICA MARU" ..... Feb. 7

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S.S. "DAISHIN MARU" (Direct to Tientsin) Feb. 8
S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" (Direct to Dairen ..Feb. 11

FOR FORMOSA. For Keelung and Takao via Foochow,
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Feb. 3—Henli from .....
Feb. 4—P. Pierce from H'kong
Feb. 4—H. N'shaof rom Ningpo
Feb. 4—H. Peking from Ningpo
Feb. 4—Hwahchief rom C'tao
Feb. 4—Hachiro M. from C'tao
Feb. 4—Haru M. from C'tao
Feb. 4—Teli from Dairen
Feb. 4—Chohei M. from Dairen
Feb. 4—Tungwah from Dairen
Feb. 4—Tongan from Dairen
Feb. 4—Fukuyei M. from T'tao
Feb. 4—Tokwa H. from .....
Feb. 4—Haean from Wenchow
Feb. 4—Kweilin from Chefoo
Feb. 4—Yekishin M. from T'tao
Feb. 4—Kiangwah from Hankow
Feb. 4—Shengking from H'kow
Feb. 4—Fengyang M. from H'kow
Feb. 4—Aizawa M. from .....
Feb. 4—Loksang from Pukow
Feb. 4—Chenglee from Dairen
Feb. 4—Yawata M. from Japan
Feb. 4—Hakone M. from Europe
Feb. 4—Hwahting from C'tao
Feb. 4—Mandasan from America
Feb. 5—Yuanta from Dairen
Feb. 5—Kaiping from C'tao
Feb. 5—Wm. Penn from H'kong
Feb. 5—Tjiliwong from H'kong
Feb. 5—Nagato M. from Japan
Feb. 5—Kiangyung from H'kow
Feb. 5—Tuckwo from Hankow
Feb. 5—Tachang M. from H'kow
Feb. 5—Shasi from Hankow
Feb. 5—Hanping from Hankow
Feb. 5—Changon from Hankow
Feb. 5—Whangpu from Hankow
Feb. 5—Jap. Cr. Thushima from Cruise
Feb. 5—Hsinchang from H'kong
Feb. 5—P. McKinley from H'kong
Feb. 5—Africa M. from America
Feb. 5—Kwanghua from W'chow
Feb. 5—Hague M. from N. York
Feb. 5—Hsinfung from W'chow
Feb. 5—Bukyu M. from ....
Feb. 5—Chekiang from Chefoo
Feb. 5—Otaru M. from Japan
Feb. 5—Hwahyih from .....

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Suiwo for Nanking: Mr. and Mrs. Rumble and child; for Kiukiang: Miss Tompson; for Wuhu: Mr. B. W Humphrey; for Hankow: Mr. A. Krabbel, Master Keyes.

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Marseilles, London, Antwerp—via Hongkong, Straits, Ceylon and Egypt. *Also calls at Bombay.	KHIVA *MOREA KASHMIR DONGOLA	Feb. 17 Mch. 3 Mch. 17 Mch. 31
Bombay—via Hongkong, Straits and Colombo.	SICILIA MOREA	Feb. 8 March 3
Calcutta—via Kobe.	TORILLA	Feb. 8
Calcutta—from Hongkong via Singapore and Penang.	TAKADA TORILLA	Feb. 6 Feb. 25
Sydney and Melbourne—from Hongkong.	EASTERN ARAFURA ST. ALBANS	March 3 April 7 May 5

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Mail Steamers	Next sailing from Marseilles	Probable arrival at Shanghai	Probable sailing from Shanghai
ANGKOR			10th February
ANGERS	29th December	6th February	15th February
AZAY LE RIDEAU	12th Jan.	20th February	17th March
PORTHOS	26th January	6th March	31st March
ARMAND BEHIC	9th February	20th March	14th April
PAUL LECAT	23rd February	29th March	28th April

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The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	11 a.m.	P. McKinley	Seattle	Feb. 22
Feb. 9	2 p.m.	China	S. Francisco	Mar. 3
Feb. 10	9 p.m.	Kaga Maru	Seattle	Mar. 9
Feb. 12	2 p.m.	E. of Canada	Vancouver	Feb. 26

TO STRAITS, INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Feb. 10	11 a.m.	Angkor	Marseilles	Mar. 18
Feb. 10	noon	Atsuta Maru	London	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok & Siberia	Today	5 p.m.	via Train
Tsingtao and Dalny	Today	7.30 a.m.	Chohei M.
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Chekiang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Waishing
Dalny	Today	12.30 p.m.	Wuhu
Tsingtao	Feb. 9	9 p.m.	Shantung
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Feb. 10	9 p.m.	Yusang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Feb. 14	8.30 a.m.	Fengtien

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Foochow	Today	9 p.m.	Haean
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Today	9 p.m.	Wingsang
Amoy, Hkong, C'ton	Feb. 7	9 p.m.	Nanchang
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Feb. 8	9 p.m.	Loksang
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Feb. 9	9 p.m.	Soochow
Hongkong & Canton	Feb. 10	11 a.m.	Angkor
Amoy, Hkong, C'ton	Feb. 11	9 p.m.	Newchwang

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
River ports	Today	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	7 p.m.	Yawata M.
Australia & N. Zealand	Feb. 7	5 p.m.	Nanchang
Japan ports	Feb. 9	7 p.m.	Nikko Maru
Japan ports	Feb. 11	9 a.m.	Yamashiro M
Manila	Feb. 12	9.30 a.m.	Iyo Maru

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
B N B	Feb. 1	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
O. D. W.	Dec. 31	Cockchafer	Br. Gun-boat
1 C	——	Calabria	Ital. Cruiser
Mc.W.	——	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
O. D.	Oct. 26	E. Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
McW.	Nov. 30	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat

Meteorological Reports

February 6, 1923.	SICCAWEI 16.00	21.00	4.00	9.00
Sun rises today at 6.53	Feb. 1.		Feb. 2.	
Sun sets today at 17.35	30.43	30.44	30.39	30.38
Barometer (inches) (variation for 24 hrs.	−0.09	−0.10	−0.10	−0.14
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	−0.06	−0.08	−0.04	−0.06
Wind—direction	NW	NW	WNW	WNW
Wind—miles per hour	23.6	11.2	9.9	8.7
Temperature (Fahr.)	39	77	87	63
Humidity %	0	0	0	0
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	—	—	—	—
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)				

February 1. SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT	Mean.	1922	Variation	24 hrs. Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)		30.47	−0.10	30.43
Temperature (Fahr.)	(Max. 20°3) (Min. 42°8)	31°6	−1°6	36°7
Rainfall (inches)		0.26	0.00	2.07

Information For Mariners

TUESDAY, FEB. 6, 1923

(The day tides are higher than the night tides, they are about equal at 2 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 8¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
3h. 15m.	8ft. 6in.	3h. 39m.	8ft. 10in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The day tides are higher than the night tides).
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	M.	P.M. H.	M.
2	15	2	37

Time of Moonrise, Moon set, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
10.44 p.m.	9.49 a.m.	6h. 52m.	5h. 37m.	6h. 7m.	6h. 22m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai.
February 30.29 in.
769.5 mm.

Vessels Due

Angers, *Marseilles* .....Feb. 6
Angkor, *Japan* ....Feb. 8
Atsuta Maru, *Japan* .....Feb. 8
Bengloe, *London* ..... Feb. 9
Changsha, *Hankow* .....Feb. 8
China, *Hongkong* ....Feb. 9
E. of Australia, *Vancouver* Feb. 6
E. of Canada, *Hongkong* ..Feb. 12
Fooshing, *Hongkong* .. ..Feb. 10
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo* ..Feb. 6
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo* ...Feb. 7
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo* .... Feb. 7
Itsukushima M., *Chinwangtao* Feb 7
Ivo Maru, *Seattle* .. ..Feb. 11
Kaga Maru, *Hongkong* .. Feb. 10
Kiangfoo, *Hankow* ..... Feb. 12
Kiangan, *Hankow* .....Feb. 10
Kianghsin, *Hankow* ... ..Feb. 13
Kiangshun, *Hankow* .. ..Feb. 6
Kosai Maru, *Japan* .. ...Feb. 11
Kungwo, *Hankow* .....Feb. 11
Kutwo, *Hankow* .....Feb. 7
Kwangtah, *Hongkong* .....Feb. 7
Kweilee, *Hankow* ....Feb. 7
Loongwo, *Hankow* .....Feb. 8
Loksang, *Pukow* .. ..Feb. 6
Luenho, *Hankow* .....Feb. 10
Luenyi, *Hankow* .. ..Feb. 11
Matsuye Maru, *Japan* .Feb. 8
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki* ..Feb. 12
Nagato Maru, *Japan* .....Feb 7
Nikko Maru, *Japan* .....Feb. 7
Nordstrand, *Chinwangtao* ..Feb. 6
Poyang, *Hankow* .....Feb. 10
Pingwo, *Hankow* .... .. Feb. 9
Pres. Jefferson, *Seattle* ...Feb. 12
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen* ... Feb. 10
Saikio Maru, *Dairen* ....Feb. 7
Shantung, *Hongkong* .....Feb. 7
Soochow, *Tsingtao* .. ....Feb. 8
Suiwo, *Hankow* .....Feb. 12
Sunning, *Hongkong* .....Feb. 12
Szechuen, *Hongkong* .....Feb. 10
Taito Maru, *Chinwangtao* Feb. 7
Taisang, *Hongkong* .. .. Feb. 6
Tatung, *Hankow* .....Feb. 7
Waishing, *Tientsin* ... ..Feb. 6
Woosung, *Hankow* .....Feb. 9
Wuchang, *Hankow* ..... Feb. 12
Yamashiro Maru, *Japan* ...Feb. 8
Yungshin, *Ningpo* .....Feb. 6
Yingchow, *Hongkong* .....Feb. 8
Yusang, *Tientsin* ....Feb. 6

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Feb. 6	—	New York via Suez	Moorish Prince	Br. Furness
Feb. 6	1.30	Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 9	—	San Francisco	†China	Am. China Mail
Feb. 9	—	New York	Tsuyama Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 10	—	New York via Suez	C. of Bagdad	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 11	—	Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 12	—	Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C.P.S.
Feb. 15	—	San Francisco	†Taiyo Maru	Jan. T.K.K.
Feb. 17	—	San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 18	—	Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 20	—	New York via Suez	Hyson	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 20	—	Tacoma, Seattle	Africa Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Feb. 23	—	Portland, Ore.	Wawalona	Am. Lumber Co.
Feb. 24	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C. P. S.
Feb. 28	—	New York via Suez	C. of Norwich	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 29	—	Portland	Montague	Am. Lumber Co.
Mar. 2	—	Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Mar. 5	—	New York via P'ma	Toba Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
Mar. 9	—	San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 12	—	San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Mar. 14	—	Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Mar. 17	—	San Francisco	†P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 20	—	New York via Suez	Agamemnon	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 24	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Mar. 26	—	Vancouver	Can. Prospector	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 28	—	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Apr. 3	—	San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Feb. 7	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 10	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko M.	Jan. N. Y. K.
Feb. 11	—	N'saka, M., Y., Y'ma	Yamashiro M.	Jan. N. Y. K.
Feb. 14	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kosai Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 16	—	Nagasaki	Nagasaki Maru	Jap. N. K. K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

Feb. 7	—	Antwerp, ect.	Teiresias	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 7	—	London, etc.	Rhesus	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 8	—	Calcutta	Torilla	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 9	—	Hamburg, etc.	Matsuye Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 10	—	Hamburg, etc.	C. of York	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 10	3.30	Marseilles	‡Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Feb. 10	—	London	Atsuta Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 10	—	Singapore	Bessie Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Feb. 11	—	Hamburg, etc.	Glensanda	Br. G.L.E.A.
Feb. 14	—	Hamburg, etc.	Troilus	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 15	—	Liverpool, etc.	Peleus	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 15	noon	Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M.M. Cie.
Feb. 16	—	Hamburg	Weser	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Feb. 17	—	London	†Khiva	Br. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 20	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Schiedyke	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Feb. 21	—	Hamburg, etc.	Laomedon	Br. B & S
Feb. 22	—	Hamburg	Weser	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Feb. 24	—	Bombay	†Sicilia	Br. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 24	—	London	Kashima Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 28	—	Liverpool,	Titan	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 28	—	Hamburg, etc.	Helenus	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 3	—	London, etc.	†Morea	Br. M. M. & Co.
Mar. 5	—	Hamburg	Glenshane	Br. G.L.E.A.
Mar. 7	—	Antwerp, etc.	Antolycus	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 8	—	Liverpool	Telthybius	Br. B & S
Mar. 8	—	Singapore	Elkridge	Am. S. & B.
Mar. 14	—	Hamburg, etc.	Rhexenor	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 17	—	Marseilles	†A. le Rideau	Fr. M. M. Cie
Mar. 17	—	London	†Kashmir	Br. M. M. & Co.
Mar. 22	—	Rotterdam	Saparoea	Dut. H. C. T. Co.
Mar. 27	—	Liverpool,	Antilochus	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 28	—	Rotterdam	Pyrrhus	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 31	—	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M. M. Cie
Mar. 31	—	London	†Tongola	Br. M.M. & Co.
Apr. 4	—	Hamburg	Deucalion	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 14	—	Marseilles	†Armand Behic	Fr. M. M. Cie
Apr. 22	—	Rotterdam	Banka	Dut. H. C. T. Co.
Apr. 28	—	Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Feb. 6	5.30	Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
Feb. 6	5.30	Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 6	8.00*	Hongkong	E. of Australi	Br. C.P.S.
Feb. 6	D.L.	Swatow, Hongkong	Shuntien	Br. B & S
Feb. 6	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 6	—	Amoy, Hongkong	Hsinkong	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 6	—	Swatow	Yushun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 7	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
Feb. 7	4.50	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 7	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Wingsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 7	—	Hongkong	Africa Maru	Jan. O.S.K.
Feb. 7	—	Foochow	Haean	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 8	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Loksang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 8	D.L.	A. H'kong, C'ton	Nanchang	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 10	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 10	—	Hongkong	Bessie Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Feb. 11	D.L.	Amoy, H'kong, C'ton	Newchwang	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 12	—	Manila, Hongkong	Iyo Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
Feb. 14	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 15	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 17	—	Hongkong	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Feb. 26	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 29	—	Hongkong, Manila	Montague	Am. Lumber Co.
Mar. 1	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 4	—	Hongkong	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Mar. 8	—	Hongkong, Manila	Elkridge	Am S. & B.
Mar. 10	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Mar. 10	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Feb. 6	2.00	Dairen	Wuhu	Br. B. & S
Feb. 6	9.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Feb. 6	—	Tientsin	Daishin Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Feb. 6	—	Chefoo	Tungwah	Chi C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 7	D.L.	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Waishing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 7	D.L.	Chefoo, Tientsin	Chekiang	Br. B & S
Feb. 8	D.L.	Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K. M. A.
Feb. 9	6.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Saikio M.	Jap. D.K.K.
Feb. 10	—	Dairen	Seikyo Maru	Jan. O. S. K.
Feb. 10	D.L.	Tsingtao	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 12	8.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jan. D. K. K.
Feb. 14	10.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Feb. 6	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 6	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 6	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 6	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changsha	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Pingwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. &

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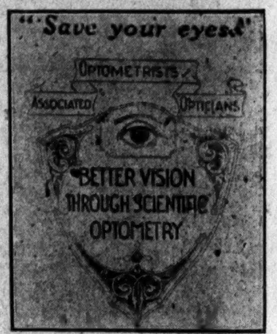

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French Unable To Balance Budget

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 3.—Though the Chamber of Deputies recently adopted the Budget it did not succeed in balancing the revenue and expenditure and the Finance Commission of the Senate has now refused to examine the Budget before the Chamber has succeeded in balancing it.

A sub-committee recently appointed in this connection by the Finance Commission of the Chamber has decided to submit to bankers and financiers a scheme whereby taxation officials will be empowered to enter banks and examine accounts.

The sub-committee will subsequently, with the Minister of Finance, investigate further methods of reducing expenditure and of creating fresh taxation resources to replace the 20 per cent general increase in taxation which has been dropped.

After that an attempt will be made to draft a bill for presentation to the Chamber.

Chang Will Help Russian Refugees

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 2.—The Government recently wired to General Chang Tso-lin asking him to give every assistance to the Russian refugees in Manchuria, and especially to the American Red Cross that has gone there for their relief.

He has replied promising every possible assistance and suggesting that a relief camp shall be formed for the Russians at Shanhaikuan.

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Telegraphed For General Grant

J. C. Ward, former Mayor of Visalia, Cal., began his career as a telegrapher in the Civil War. He is now, at seventy-eight, trying to retire, but before he can do so, the Postal Telegraph must get permission to abandon the Visalia office, of which he has been manager for thirty-five years. He was telegraph operator at Grant's headquarters and asserts that he taught Thomas Alva Edison telegraphy when the Electrical Wizard was sixteen.

Prominent Educators To Meet In Session Here

The Kiangsu Education Association, which meets on February 7, 8, and 9, has elected as its official delegates to the annual meeting three of the most distinguished educators in China. Dr. Hwang Yen-pei is president of the association and one of the moving spirits behind the reorganisation of the educational system, which is based on the plan for the 6-year middle school. Dr. P. W. Kwo is president of Southeastern University, which has had a remarkable growth within the last few years. Prof. Chu Ching-lung is professor of education in Peking University and is one of the committee of five appointed by the union educational association to draft a plan for the reorganisation of the educational system of China. He is on leave of absence and is at present in charge of the production of new text books for the 6-year primary and the 6-year middle school.

Teachers' College, in New York will be ably represented by Dr. William A. McCall, associate Professor of Education, who is spending a year in China as psychologist for the Chinese National Association for the Advancement of Education. Dr. McCall is the author of numerous books and is one of the leading authorities in America on Educational Tests. He is at present engaged in working out tests in Chinese and adapted to Chinese conditions.

The School City will be presented by Rev. Lowrie Davis, principal of the Kashing High School, who has specialised on these lines in Columbia and has carried out successful experiments extending over three years.

Physical education will be presented by Dr. J. H. Gray of the National Committee Y. M. C. A. and Miss Vera Barger, Director of the Normal School of Hygiene and Physical Education of the Y. W. C. A. Dr. Gray has had a long experience in India in connection with the Y. M. C. A. and as advisor to the Bengal and Imperial Governments.

Dr. Ida Belle Lewis, associate general secretary, of the Board of Education for China of the Methodist Episcopal Church, took her doctorate at Columbia University after 12 years of experience in China, and for the last four years has been engaged in an intensive study of educational work for girls extending over the whole of China.

Dr. Fong F. Sec of the Commercial Press has just returned from an extended tour abroad and will give his impressions of the international educational situation.

Dr. F. G. Gamewell will report on his recent trip to America and the response which the report of the Educatonal Commission is receiving at the hands of the various Mission Boards.

The main topics before the Association will be the new program of the Association and its reorganisation, Recent progress in Chinese Education, The Six-year Middle School, Religion in School and After, The Christian Primary School, Educational Tests in China, Physical Education, and The School City.

Lithuania Again Warned By League

(Reuter's Service)

Kovno, Feb. 2.—The Lithuanian Government has refused to comply with the ultimatum of the Ambassadors' Conference requesting Lithuania to restore the normal situation at Memel.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 3.—The talk of the Lithuanian delegates of recourse to arms has evoked stern warnings of possible intervention by the League of Nations by Earl Balfour and M. Viviani, at the public suitting today of the Council of the League.

ASSUMES POST

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 1.—Mr. Sun To-yu, Vice-Minister of Communications, assumed his post yesterday.

Chinese Officials Solely To Blame If Opium Is Imported

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 1.—Reuter's Agency is authorised to make the following statement in regard to a letter addressed to the Press by the General Secretary of the International Anti-Opium Association on January 26 last in which the writer asserts that China is being fettered by foreign treaty rights in her "laudable efforts" to control the drug traffic and that in particular she is unable to fulfil her compact with the League of Nations in the matter of the issue of import certificates owing to the existence of the foreign settlements and concessions:

"As far as the British are concerned legislation now in force, though it may not be identical with that prescribed by the League of Nations, does in fact, restrict the import of narcotics by British subjects to medical and scientific uses only.

"The bond signed by the importer before his Consul, under Rule IV. of the Customs tariff, besides giving full particulars as to quantity and value, guarantees that the articles imported will be employed for medical purposes only either in private practice or in some specified hospital and the drugs *cannot be imported until a special landing permit has been issued by the Chinese Maritime Customs*.

"So it is not the British Consul but the Chinese Government through its representative the Commissioner of Customs that issues the 'import certificate' and the writer is therefore entirely wrong in saying the 'the present system allows individual importation by Consular permits.'

"His inference that extraterritoriality prevents China from fulfilling her compact with the League of Nations is also entirely unjustified; on the contrary it may be said without fear of contradiction that the presence of British and other foreign settlements and concessions in the principal ports of foreign entry into China is of material assistance in regulating the drug traffic and checking smuggling—as witness the effective manner in which the police of the international foreign settlement at Shanghai co-operate with the Chinese Customs in their constant fight with the opium smugglers.

"To say, at a time when opium is openly grown in all parts of the country, in many places under official compulsion, when it is being transported by the ton from one place to another in packages under official seals, when opium smuggling on an organised scale has assumed dimensions which have recently led the Inspector General of Customs publicly to recommend legalisation of the trade as the only remedy for an intolerable situation — that China in her laudable efforts to control the drug traffic is 'up against foreign treaty rights' is nothing less than a travesty of the truth."

Shanghai Rifle Association

Following is the S. R. A. monthly circular which announces that the annual meeting will be held February 13.

New Members: Mr. T. Paice and Mr. A. A. Tumuola.

Rife Member: According to Rule No. 3 of the Assn. Mr. Z. S Hoo is enrolled as Life Member of the Association. Paid Sub. $50.00.

Annual Subscriptions 1923: The subs. for 1923 are now due and members will kindly forward same to the undersigned as soon as possible.

Annual general meeting: Members are reminded that the annual general meeting will be held in the S.V.C. Lecture Roon (third floor) at 5:45 p.m. on Tuesday, February 13, 1923 when a full attendance is requested. The following members are willing to serve on the Committee for 1923. Dr. S. A. Ransom, Messrs. J. C. Posustow, W. T. Rose, F. E. Hodges, R. I. Ito, C. G. Hoh (new) and A. M. Collaco.

The annual report and the statement of accounts have been posted to members.

The attendance cups: Following is the result of the high gun in two competition: "A1" Class: R I. Ito 92 pts., "A" Class: M. Tsukasaki 86, "B" Class: D. Leighton 79, "C" Class: A. W. Slater 83 and "D" Class: L. Ongetta 78.

SHOOTING

February Monthly Cups

First: Friday, February 9, from 6:30 to 8:30. Range Bisley 200 yards.

Second: Friday, February 23, from 6:30 to 8:30. Range Bisley 300 yards.

One sighting and ten scoring shots at each distance.

The attendance cup: The competition for this cup will take place concurrently with above.

RAIL CONFERENCE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 3.—The Belgrade newspapers announce that a conference will take place during this month at Rome between the Representatives of the States which divide among themselves the former Austro-Hungarian railway system.

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Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 21½
Fine Insurance	
China Fire	H. 116½ B.
Hongkong Fire	H. 440 B.
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Indo-China Def.	H. 245
Indo-China Pref.	H. 40 B.
"Shell"	80/-
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 88½
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 48 B.
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Kaiping	Tls. 19 B.
Oriental Cons.	18/-
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Hongkong Dock	H. 183 S.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 94
New Eng. Works	Tls. 8
„ Pref.	Tls. 5.40 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 202 B.
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 160 B.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$40 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land	Tls. 104 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 104 B.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 58
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 14½ B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 110
Laou-kung-mow.	Tls. 23
Oriental	Tls. 8½ B.
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 114
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	H. 151 S.
Green Island	Tls. 20 B.
Langkats	Tls. 23½
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 85 B.
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	Tls. 6¼ B.
Llewelyn	$42½
Lane Crawford	Tls. 105 B.
Moutrie	$45 B.
Watson	H. 15 B.
Weeks	Tls. 13
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 9
Amherst	Tls. 0.50
Anglo-Java	Tls. 3¼ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 6¾ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 16
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1 B.
Bute	Tls. 1.10 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 3¾
Chemor United	Tls. 1.15
Chempedak	Tls. 7
Cheng	Tls. 2¼
Consolidated	Tls. 2½
Dominion	Tls. 2.20
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 8¾ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 13
Kapayang	Tls. 8 B.
Karan	Tls. 7¼ B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.15 B.
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 1.60
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 18
Padang	Tls. 5½ B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.40 B.
Permata	Tls. 2.60 B.
Repah	Tls. 1
Samagagas	Tls. 0.90 B.
Seekees	Tls. 0.75
Semambu	Tls. 1.60
Senawang	Tls. 1.60
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.90
Shanghai Malay.	Tls. 1
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 8½
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1
Sungala	Tls. 0.60
Sungei Duri	Tls. 9 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3½
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.95
Taiping	Tls. 0.55
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.95 B.
Tebong	Tls. 1.60 B.
Ziangbes	Tls. 4
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 14½ B.
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 125½
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 32 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 70 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 156

S. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

Envoy To Moscow, New Peking Plan

(China Press Service)

Peking, Feb. 4.—Premier Chang Shou-tseng contemplates sending Dr. Kiang Kang-fu, who recently arrived here from Shanghai, to Moscow to negotiate for a treaty between the Chinese and Soviet Governments.

M. Joffe, the Soviet envoy to China, who is recuperating his health in Japan, has also telegraphed to Peking proposing to hold the proposed Russo-Chinese Conference in Moscow, instead of Peking.

NEW AERO CHIEF

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 4.—A Mandate has been issued appointing Mr. Hsu Shih-ying Chief of the Aviation Department in Peking, and Mr. Luan Chung-chih Civil Governor of Anhui instead of Mr. Hsu Shih-ying.